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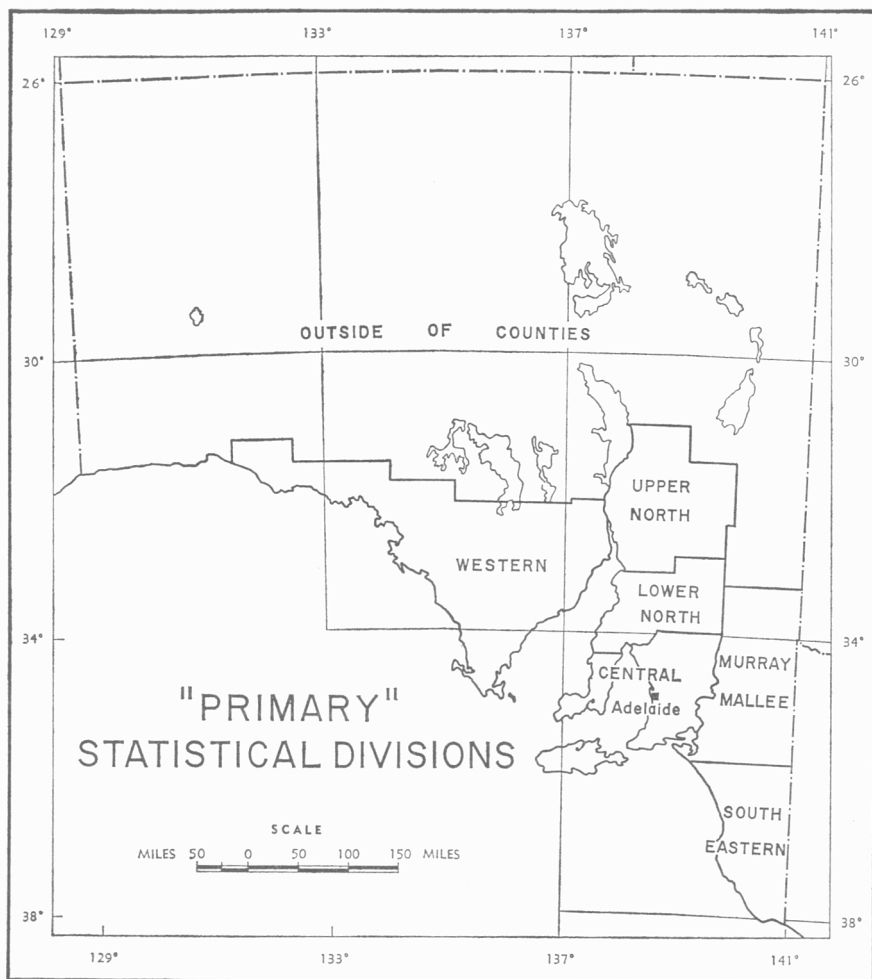
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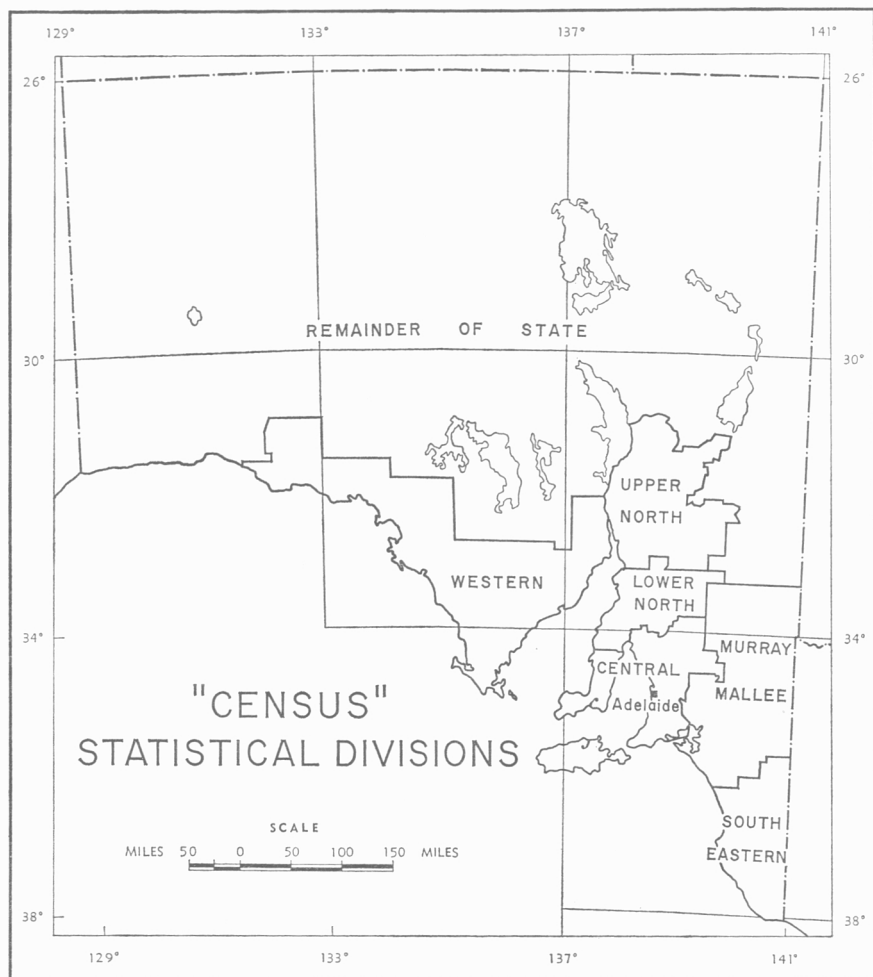


NOTE

Statistical Divisions shown on this map are used for Primary Production Statistics.

These boundaries follow boundaries of COUNTIES, which are unchanging proclaimed areas. These Statistical Divisions, therefore, do not change.

STATISTICAL DIVISIONS OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA



NOTE

Statistical Divisions shown on this map are used for all other Statistics, especially population.

These boundaries generally follow boundaries of LOCAL GOVERNMENT AREAS, which are subject to change. These Statistical Divisions, therefore, may be varied slightly from time to time.

No. 1—Local Government Area Digest

(Latest information available—in most cases ESTIMATES ONLY)

Local Government Area	Area	Private Dwellings	Population (Census)	Employment		Area Under Crop		Sheep and Lambs	Value of Retail Sales	Local Government Rates Collected	Expenditure	
				Factories (a)	Farms (b)	Cereals for Grain	Other				Roads and Bridges (c)	Health (d)
	June 1961	Dec. 1961	June 1961	1960-61	Mar. 1961	1960-61	1960-61	Mar. 1961	1956-57	1959-60	1959-60	1959-60
	'000 Acres		Number			'000 Acres		'000		£'000		
METROPOLITAN AREA—												
Adelaide (C)	3.8	5,870	23,051	12,909	—	—	—	—	93,116	830	619	180
Brighton (C)	2.1	5,910	20,337	528	—	—	—	—	1,666	72	69	11
Burnside (C)	6.0	11,140	36,266	777	50	—	0.5	0.1	3,330	182	132	42
Campbelltown (C)	5.8	5,960	20,945	188	227	—	1.2	0.3	1,042	87	109	7
Colonel Light Gardens (M)	0.4	1,220	3,671	n.a.	—	—	—	—	142	(e) 16	11	3
Enfield (C)	12.7	18,280	72,427	6,625	90	0.2	0.8	—	6,597	268	369	29
Glenelg (M)	1.2	5,100	14,492	287	—	—	—	—	4,679	(e) 93	69	13
Henley and Grange (M)	1.7	3,820	11,680	97	—	—	—	—	1,274	(e) 79	94	10
Hindmarsh (M)	1.2	3,720	12,914	3,801	—	—	—	—	3,362	(e) 75	52	13
Kensington and Norwood (C)	1.0	4,040	13,476	2,522	—	—	—	—	3,538	56	20	12
Marion (C)	13.4	16,150	58,464	4,159	105	1.1	1.1	6.2	4,437	(e) 252	298	36
Mitcham (C)	17.3	12,880	43,122	1,520	81	0.3	0.6	3.4	4,827	233	327	38
Payneham (M)	1.7	4,390	14,930	269	27	—	0.1	—	1,735	59	68	8
Port Adelaide (C)	8.7	11,270	38,923	6,683	—	—	—	—	10,171	(e) 322	202	54
Prospect (C)	2.0	7,170	22,184	3,117	—	—	—	—	5,546	107	140	14
St. Peters (M)	0.9	3,430	11,727	594	—	—	—	—	2,222	(e) 39	16	13
Thebarton (M)	1.0	3,790	12,884	3,551	—	—	—	—	2,669	(e) 53	42	10
Unley (C)	3.5	13,240	40,280	1,809	—	—	—	—	9,086	201	151	30
Walkerville (M)	0.6	1,570	4,464	n.a.	—	—	—	—	812	28	23	5
West Torrens (C)	7.7	12,040	40,681	8,372	149	—	0.2	—	4,325	(e) 222	232	44
Woodville (C)	10.6	19,130	71,039	19,980	169	—	0.5	—	8,310	356	424	38
CENTRAL STATISTICAL DIVISION—												
Angaston (D.C.)	53.0	1,550	5,301	629	345	4.8	6.6	39.2	1,294	25	46	3
Balaklava (D.C.)	171.0	620	2,250	70	338	62.2	8.9	96.8	775	18	123	2
Barossa (D.C.)	93.7	720	2,344	207	356	2.9	9.1	55.9	295	16	52	1
Dudley (D.C.)	116.5	160	447	—	68	2.4	1.0	47.2	201	3	8	1
Encounter Bay (D.C.)	84.4	850	1,905	—	377	1.4	5.5	122.8	22	215	2	2
East Torrens (D.C.)	30.0	940	3,664	22	532	—	3.9	2.6	216	9	42	1
Eudunda (D.C.)	185.3	470	1,638	51	268	29.6	5.7	93.9	507	10	51	1
Freeling (D.C.)	83.8	590	2,035	89	371	19.6	13.0	59.9	253	12	99	1
Gawler (M)	2.2	1,760	5,639	n.a.	—	—	—	—	2,248	(e) 32	33	3
Gumeracha (D.C.)	76.0	870	2,789	76	485	—	5.1	62.8	456	12	60	1
Kapunda (D.C.)	146.6	410	1,383	—	330	28.4	9.8	104.0	431	9	15	1
Kapunda (M)	0.6	420	1,164	89	—	—	—	—	5	5	5	1
Kingscote (D.C.)	958.7	730	2,838	48	420	14.0	7.8	395.1	638	(e) 16	116	1
Maitland (M)	0.8	300	989	67	—	—	—	—	815	5	6	1
Mallala (D.C.)	229.0	800	2,245	46	476	71.0	8.9	121.4	407	15	59	4

Meadows (D.C.)	143.0	1,470	5,085	126	909	1.1	11.9	81.9	646	31	56	2
Minlaton (D.C.)	229.1	860	2,608	58	397	83.6	10.3	145.4	786	21	51	2
Mount Barker (D.C.)	87.5	1,550	5,342	549	429	1.9	7.0	99.6	1,310	32	39	4
Mount Pleasant (D.C.)	156.5	480	1,513	13	316	6.3	4.4	123.9	237	25	77	1
Mudla Wirra (D.C.)	79.9	410	1,562	n.a.	267	30.7	8.6	63.5	115	10	40	1
Munno Para (D.C.)	86.0	820	3,154	n.a.	286	7.9	6.7	56.2	218	14	81	1
Noarlunga (D.C.)	41.0	2,450	5,492	132	259	5.6	7.5	25.6	620	45	69	2
Onkaparinga (D.C.)	52.2	1,550	5,529	688	603	0.2	8.1	27.7	1,085	22	52	2
Owen (D.C.)	121.0	440	1,420	45	339	49.8	8.0	84.9	280	15	40	1
Port Elliot (D.C.)	108.8	1,110	2,424	60	279	2.8	4.7	66.3	364	19	42	2
Port Wakefield (D.C.)	121.5	290	1,083	14	117	27.6	6.4	47.9	249	7	73	—
Riverton (D.C.)	106.3	480	1,692	40	200	19.6	7.4	86.8	334	15	25	1
Robertstown (D.C.)	328.2	320	1,021	n.a.	191	29.0	4.3	86.0	116	7	16	1
Saddleworth (D.C.)	131.2	480	1,442	70	269	27.4	7.8	89.2	450	10	46	1
Salisbury (D.C.)	44.0	9,700	35,715	2,321	249	2.6	2.9	20.2	1,913	113	381	10
Sedan (D.C.)	256.3	330	906	21	163	18.9	2.7	71.2	211	9	26	—
Stirling (D.C.)	26.6	2,290	7,075	44	180	—	1.0	4.0	966	35	44	2
Strathalbyn (D.C.)	217.2	770	1,975	27	538	29.6	15.7	139.2	104	20	31	1
Strathalbyn (M)	1.1	460	1,465	77	—	—	—	—	964	8	6	1
Tanunda (D.C.)	11.4	800	2,506	232	122	0.3	3.5	7.6	985	13	18	2
Teatree Gully (D.C.)	31.2	2,040	5,887	116	241	0.2	3.7	17.0	340	31	97	1
Truro (D.C.)	195.8	210	596	n.a.	93	11.8	1.5	39.9	122	5	25	—
Victor Harbor (M)	0.7	890	2,036	127	—	—	—	—	1,273	(e) 24	13	2
Warooka (D.C.)	363.0	320	1,060	54	203	37.2	3.1	86.3	192	14	108	2
Willunga (D.C.)	65.9	1,330	2,556	107	351	5.8	8.2	45.2	582	20	24	1
Yankalilla (D.C.)	191.9	920	2,637	85	451	1.3	6.7	171.4	450	18	54	1
Yorke Peninsula (D.C.)	384.4	1,050	3,110	88	643	155.3	16.0	226.5	460	32	41	3
Yorketown (D.C.)	200.3	890	2,916	63	345	57.8	6.8	116.0	642	25	70	3
Not Incorporated	44.2	10	51	Nil	(h)	(h)	(h)	(h)	—	—	(i)	—
LOWER NORTH STATISTICAL DIVISION												
Blyth (D.C.)	154.0	290	1,042	6	242	53.4	6.5	72.6	118	13	15	1
Burra (M)	3.0	460	1,382	27	—	—	—	—	590	7	5	1
Burra Burra (D.C.)	544.5	410	1,309	n.a.	412	42.6	11.2	219.7	320	(e) 15	108	2
Bute (D.C.)	244.8	430	1,541	25	404	105.5	12.7	153.6	268	15	26	1
Clare (D.C.)	152.0	590	1,977	55	360	24.4	13.9	134.5	1,184	20	59	1
Clare (M)	0.5	500	1,622	149	—	—	—	—	—	11	18	6
Clinton (D.C.)	259.9	390	1,314	n.a.	367	94.4	12.1	132.8	95	10	13	1
Crystal Brook (D.C.)	79.1	510	1,710	98	129	35.2	4.4	37.3	676	9	64	1
Georgetown (D.C.)	157.6	340	1,115	20	230	42.7	9.1	92.9	249	13	28	1
Gladstone (D.C.)	75.7	380	1,358	22	115	24.0	3.3	50.1	336	9	37	1
Hallett (D.C.)	579.7	450	1,420	31	251	27.0	10.0	167.4	282	12	21	1
Jamestown (D.C.)	292.1	410	1,483	69	390	67.4	13.8	150.1	97	(e) 23	99	1
Jamestown (M)	1.0	400	1,304	—	—	—	—	—	843	6	5	1
Kadina (D.C.)	181.4	1,060	2,957	18	298	78.1	12.3	88.6	83	13	27	1
Kadina (M)	1.0	680	1,866	134	—	—	—	—	1,791	10	5	2
Laura (D.C.)	40.0	260	847	70	94	13.9	1.7	30.5	278	5	5	—
Moonta (M)	2.3	550	1,151	57	—	—	—	—	576	(e) 7	17	1
Pirie (D.C.)	248.0	800	2,902	n.a.	245	50.7	5.8	60.5	4,903	(e) 103	172	1
Port Pirie (C)	4.3	4,080	14,003	2,033	—	—	—	—	—	—	76	21
Port Broughton D.C.)	143.8	640	983	10	191	45.9	6.0	54.1	162	9	31	2
Redhill (D.C.)	122.2	230	766	11	180	37.8	5.2	52.1	125	9	12	1

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				Factories (a)	Farms (b)	Cereals for Grain	Other				Roads and Bridges (c)	Health (d)
	June 1961	Dec. 1961	June 1961	1960-61	Mar. 1961	1960-61	1960-61	Mar. 1961	1956-57	1959-60	1959-60	1959-60
	'000 Acres		Number			'000 Acres		'000		£'000		
Lower North Statistical Division—continued												
Snowtown (D.C.)	275.5	520	1,845	38	337	85.0	10.0	126.5	431	19	27	2
Spalding (D.C.)	131.2	220	812	9	147	21.4	5.6	82.5	106	9	23	1
Upper Wakefield (D.C.)	58.9	290	931	n.a.	138	5.8	4.9	44.1	155	7	16	—
Walleroo (M)	2.1	830	2,237	266	—	—	—	—	566	10	12	1
Not Incorporated	163.2	10	21	—	(h)	(h)	(h)	(h)	—	—	(i)	—
UPPER NORTH STATISTICAL DIVISION												
Carrieton (D.C.)	491.2	90	343	n.a.	97	1.1	0.3	98.9	} 228 {	(e) 3	14	—
Hawker (D.C.)	480.8	170	630	10	75	0.8	—	62.0		4	32	1
Kanyaka (D.C.)	581.4	360	1,353	—	114	7.9	1.1	88.6		4	44	1
Orroroo (D.C.)	322.9	390	1,310	35	196	28.4	4.2	101.3		(e) 9	29	1
Peterborough (D.C.)	739.0	200	715	—	193	10.6	3.1	126.1	77	(e) 7	31	1
Peterborough (M)	1.5	920	3,430	287	—	—	—	—	1,116	(e) 8	7	5
Port Augusta (M)	5.8	2,390	9,711	844	—	—	—	—	2,777	(e) 44	64	10
Port Germein (D.C.)	486.4	970	3,196	52	618	97.2	18.1	208.4	579	(e) 20	41	2
Quorn (M)	0.4	200	566	17	—	—	—	—	458	(e) 2	2	1
Wilmington (D.C.)	406.5	280	875	406	126	12.0	2.1	97.0	142	(e) 8	24	1
Not Incorporated	4,261.9	150	815	n.a.	(h)	(h)	(h)	(h)	(f) 1,519	—	(i)	—
SOUTH-EASTERN STATISTICAL DIVISION												
Beachport (D.C.)	340.3	640	2,019	253	270	0.2	3.4	329.7	141	28	114	2
Lacepede (D.C.)	783.3	650	2,011	36	271	2.3	3.5	281.7	441	14	57	1
Lucindale (D.C.)	584.0	440	1,728	16	396	1.6	5.8	481.0	227	26	247	1
Millicent (D.C.)	133.7	1,330	4,762	478	292	2.6	4.6	229.3	1,509	40	62	5
Mount Gambier (C)	4.7	4,090	15,388	1,393	—	—	—	—	} 6,819 {	(e) 84	188	15
Mount Gambier (D.C.)	237.9	1,050	4,070	300	684	0.8	19.3	227.5		33	91	3
Naracoorte (D.C.)	561.3	710	2,672	13	763	19.3	17.7	713.1	89	49	139	4
Naracoorte (M)	5.7	1,210	4,410	222	—	—	—	—	2,807	29	37	9
Penola (D.C.)	375.7	1,200	4,835	616	473	2.9	9.6	366.1	833	49	102	9
Port MacDonnell (D.C.)	229.4	720	1,901	81	383	0.4	9.0	206.5	199	21	74	1
Robe (D.C.)	272.7	350	1,000	29	112	1.8	2.6	95.9	169	12	18	1
Tantanoola (D.C.)	101.5	360	1,315	22	167	0.8	3.5	79.1	157	12	29	1
Tatiara (D.C.)	1,580.1	1,640	6,130	80	939	83.0	25.8	742.6	} 1,737 {	69	188	9
Not Incorporated	9.8	—	—	—	(h)	(h)	(h)	(h)		—	(i)	—
WESTERN STATISTICAL DIVISION—												
Cleve (D.C.)	1,281.0	710	2,721	48	593	211.8	36.4	247.4	474	(e) 24	295	2
Elliston (D.C.)	1,472.0	350	1,291	14	264	72.9	11.9	193.4	268	11	52	3
Franklin Harbor (D.C.)	780.8	430	1,298	18	209	63.8	20.0	108.3	272	10	206	2
Kimba (D.C.)	764.0	360	1,529	23	308	113.2	24.9	138.0	480	(e) 10	34	1
Le Hunte (D.C.)	1,129.0	430	1,811	26	339	138.1	24.0	174.6	321	(e) 15	33	2
Lincoln (D.C.)	1,174.1	1,120	3,560	57	648	130.9	14.3	410.3	574	26	126	3

Murat Bay (D.C.)	1,257.3	510	2,273	45	241	103.2	7.9	145.4	568	(e) 12	77	2
Port Lincoln (M)	2.5	2,160	7,508	725	—	—	—	—	3,238	(e) 40	37	4
Streaky Bay (D.C.)	1,534.4	540	2,106	58	371	146.3	10.2	226.0	684	(e) 14	40	2
Tumby Bay (D.C.)	646.4	830	2,912	40	593	162.3	14.4	275.3	515	23	254	2
Whyalla (M)	6.6	3,440	13,711	2,702	—	—	—	—	2,554	(e) 36	68	11
Not Incorporated	7,502.7	470	1,674	(h)	(h)	(h)	(h)	(h)	217	—	(i)	—
MURRAY MALLEE STATISTICAL DIVISION												
Barmera (D.C.)	73.2	850	3,134	126	288	2.2	6.4	8.2	755	(e) 17	14	2
Berri (D.C.)	24.6	1,300	4,578	587	483	0.5	9.0	1.2	1,281	28	21	9
Brown's Well (D.C.)	529.2	190	674	3	156	63.9	4.4	57.9	76	(e) 3	12	—
Coonalpyn Downs (D.C.)	1,113.9	410	1,635	40	338	37.3	14.9	250.1	(g) 76	24	25	1
East Murray (D.C.)	555.2	200	795	—	183	66.3	5.5	68.8	76	(e) 5	20	—
Karoonda (D.C.)	502.0	380	1,433	18	296	104.8	9.2	140.1	213	(e) 9	180	1
Lameroo (D.C.)	688.6	480	1,892	30	386	114.5	11.7	184.6	507	16	32	2
Loxton (D.C.)	696.5	1,540	6,099	269	816	134.6	22.9	113.3	1,493	(e) 34	84	1
Mannum (D.C.)	168.4	1,050	2,801	n.a.	278	32.3	5.1	58.6	581	14	21	2
Marne (D.C.)	312.6	480	1,020	n.a.	241	47.5	3.1	89.1	62	(e) 8	19	—
Meningie (D.C.)	718.4	1,120	4,244	115	346	28.2	8.1	194.9	1,491	26	234	2
Mobilong (D.C.)	435.6	1,010	3,438	n.a.	782	51.9	14.9	113.5	177	28	280	2
Morgan (D.C.)	531.5	350	1,240	23	187	6.6	2.5	64.6	222	5	100	1
Murray Bridge (M)	2.3	1,740	5,404	457	—	—	—	—	2,148	(e) 33	42	7
Peake (D.C.)	362.2	300	1,093	4	259	67.6	9.5	134.3	(g) 213	8	26	—
Pinnaroo (D.C.)	650.7	450	1,690	37	270	83.2	6.2	124.3	567	14	54	2
Paringa (D.C.)	180.7	310	1,100	n.a.	173	20.9	5.8	30.7	2,157	5	8	—
Renmark (M)	37.7	1,760	6,070	449	479	0.4	11.2	1.6	—	(e) 38	149	3
Waikerie (D.C.)	741.9	970	3,444	121	594	44.4	10.9	80.4	667	15	88	5
Not Incorporated	2,843.7	80	264	n.a.	(h)	(h)	(h)	(h)	(g) —	—	(i)	—
SUMMARY: STATISTICAL DIVISIONS—												
Metropolitan Area	103.3	170,120	587,957	77,920	(h) 14,294	(h) 860.8	(h) 270.0	(h) 3,297.6	172,886	3,630	3,467	610
Central	6,057.8	45,910	146,489	7,100	—	—	—	—	24,550	849	2,575	74
Lower North	3,917.8	15,730	49,898	3,193	4,873	899.3	155.8	1,927.4	14,234	381	871	53
Upper North	7,777.8	6,120	22,944	1,658	1,732	182.2	33.7	1,054.4	(f) 7,353	109	288	23
South-Eastern	5,220.1	14,390	52,241	3,539	4,974	134.1	115.8	3,932.1	15,128	466	1,346	61
Western	17,550.8	11,350	42,394	3,756	3,898	1,192.8	173.0	2,297.6	10,165	221	1,222	34
Murray Mallee	11,168.9	14,970	52,048	2,739	5,390	813.8	134.5	1,392.6	12,686	330	1,409	40
Remainder of State	191,448.3	2,170	15,369	50	1,090	0.3	—	1,050.5	(f) —	—	324	—
Total State	243,244.8	280,760	969,340	99,955	36,251	4,083.3	882.8	14,952.2	257,002	5,986	11,502	895

NOTE: All statistics in this table relating to dwellings, employment, area of crops, and sheep, are ESTIMATES only. In particular, rural statistics should be regarded as approximations as the information has been collected on a different basis, and subsequently converted to a Local Government Area basis. Population figures are derived from the preliminary check of Census returns and some minor amendments may be made later; migratory population included in Remainder of State.

(a) Average employment during the year, including working proprietors, classified according to location of factory.

(b) Includes owners, occupiers, etc., but excludes temporary workers.

(c) Total expenditure on roads in each area by all authorities, other than expenditure on maintenance by Highways Department—amounting to £1,181,305 (Metropolitan £171,249, other incorporated areas £1,010,056).

(d) Expenditure by Local Authorities only—includes contributions to hospitals, upkeep of cemeteries, garbage collection and disposal, etc.

(e) Rated on Unimproved Values.

(f) Combined figure for Upper North unincorporated and Remainder of State shown under Upper North unincorporated.

(g) Combined figures for D.C.'s. Peake and Coonalpyn Downs and Murray Mallee unincorporated shown under D.C. of Peake.

(h) Details are for "Primary" Statistical Divisions (see map, page 4). Because of this, figures for Local Government Areas do not add to Statistical Division totals and no information can be given for unincorporated areas.

(i) Included in Remainder of State.

Symbols used: (C)—City. (M)—Municipality. (D.C.)—District Council. — Nil or less than half final digit. n.a.—Not available.

No. 2—Meteorology : Adelaide Observatory

Period		Shade Temperature				Rainfall		Sunshine	Mean Relative Humidity	
		Maximum		Minimum					Mean Relative Humidity	
		Mean	Extreme	Mean	Extreme	Total	Days	Hours	9 a.m.	3 p.m.
		°F.	°F.	°F.	°F.	In.	No.	No.	%	%
Average (a)		72.5	—	53.1	—	20.96	120	2,511.4	53	42
Extreme		—	117.7 (b)	—	32.0 (c)	(d)	—	—	—	—
Year—										
	1956	69.4	100.9	53.8	39.4	27.24	154	2,378.6	61	50
	1957	71.1	105.7	53.3	38.2	16.71	110	2,672.5	59	49
	1958	69.9	102.2	53.3	34.2	17.57	121	2,454.7	61	49
	1959	72.2	110.0	54.2	37.5	11.32	88	2,591.9	56	44
	1960	69.6	107.2	53.1	36.4	23.07	129	2,355.7	58	49
	1961	72.7	105.5	55.2	37.2	14.91	122	2,586.3	55	43
Month—										
	Feb. 1961	83.8	99.5	64.3	54.7	0.32	3	266.6	41	31
	Mar.	79.6	98.3	60.4	52.0	0.28	3	265.9	50	40
	April	72.4	91.3	58.1	46.3	4.80	18	148.9	65	57
	Feb.-April	78.6	99.5	60.9	46.3	5.40	24	681.4	52	43
	Feb. 1962	82.4	103.7	61.3	52.9	0.88	5	271.9	46	33
	Mar.	80.0	93.9	61.3	56.7	0.92	8	257.5	51	36
	April	74.1	86.4	55.3	45.9	0.23	4	222.6	48	33
	Feb.-April	78.8	103.7	59.3	45.9	2.03	17	752.0	48	34

(a) Average over the whole period for which records are available.

(b) Extreme maximum—12th January 1939.

(c) Extreme minimum—24th July 1908.

(d) Wettest year—30.95 inches in 1851, driest year—11.32 inches in 1959.

No. 3—Rainfall : Agricultural Areas

Period	Statistical Division						State
	Central	Lower North	Upper North	South-Eastern	Western	Murray Mallee	
	Inches						
Year—							
Average (56 years)	18.09	16.57	14.06	23.68	13.97	12.62	15.79
1956	20.88	21.13	18.45	28.10	21.46	16.51	20.46
1957	11.36	10.62	10.23	17.39	8.73	8.19	10.06
1958	17.29	15.70	17.29	23.59	16.02	13.58	16.25
1959	10.99	9.59	9.45	14.26	8.29	8.20	9.53
1960	20.49	20.56	19.92	27.30	17.35	14.96	18.94
1961 p	14.20	15.26	13.91	17.84	11.44	13.11	13.60
Wheat-growing Season (a)—							
Average (56 years)	14.89	13.40	10.84	19.53	11.61	9.66	12.78
1956	18.86	18.98	16.09	24.78	19.26	13.82	18.18
1957	10.38	9.36	8.15	14.44	7.34	6.58	8.67
1958	15.65	13.67	15.32	22.27	13.20	11.98	14.21
1959	7.30	6.12	6.02	8.96	5.67	5.44	6.28
1960	17.02	17.48	17.78	21.61	13.92	11.95	15.59
1961 p	12.81	13.59	11.67	14.84	10.71	11.16	12.14
Month—							
Dec. 1960	0.31	0.26	0.43	0.83	0.52	0.35	0.40
Jan. 1961 p	0.15	0.17	0.47	0.26	0.06	0.11	0.14
Feb. p	0.59	0.61	0.42	0.37	0.38	0.57	0.51
Mar. p	0.28	0.34	0.34	0.29	0.18	0.31	0.27
April p	3.83	4.14	2.16	3.40	2.94	3.33	3.46
May p	1.00	0.50	0.19	0.99	0.63	0.51	0.67
June p	1.40	0.93	0.90	2.13	0.92	0.96	1.10
July p	2.06	2.13	1.67	3.35	1.69	1.97	2.00
Aug. p	1.64	1.84	2.83	1.45	2.39	0.99	1.84
Sept. p	1.23	1.51	1.39	1.74	0.86	1.29	1.22
Oct. p	0.37	0.19	0.14	1.02	0.24	0.42	0.32
Nov. p	1.28	2.35	2.39	0.76	1.04	1.69	1.53
Dec. p	0.37	0.55	1.01	2.08	0.11	0.96	0.54
Jan. 1962 p	0.57	0.65	0.57	0.65	0.11	0.95	0.53
Feb. p	0.43	0.25	0.09	0.98	0.54	0.25	0.40
Mar. p	0.99	1.14	1.42	1.33	0.64	0.94	0.95
April p	0.19	0.10	0.19	0.40	0.21	0.09	0.17

(a) 8 months April-November inclusive.

p—Preliminary details subject to revision.

No. 4—Population: State and Metropolitan

Date	South Australia			Adelaide Metropolitan Area
	Males	Females	Persons	Persons
Census—				
1911	207,358	201,200	408,558	189,646
1921	248,267	246,893	495,160	255,375
1933	290,962	289,987	580,949	312,619
1947	320,031	326,042	646,073	382,454
1954	403,903	393,191	797,094	483,508
1961 (a)	490,225	479,115	969,340	587,957
Estimates—				
31st Dec. 1955	423,042	411,619	834,661	508,900
30th June 1956	430,712	417,845	848,557	517,900
31st Dec. 1956	436,807	425,145	861,952	526,400
30th June 1957	442,909	430,257	873,166	533,600
31st Dec. 1957	448,411	437,841	886,252	541,300
30th June 1958	453,614	443,189	896,803	547,400
31st Dec. 1958	458,401	449,652	908,053	554,300
30th June 1959	464,787	456,111	920,898	562,300
31st Dec. 1959	471,868	462,629	934,497	570,300
30th June 1960	477,609	467,711	945,320	576,600
31st Dec. 1960	483,802	473,220	957,022	582,100
30th June 1961 (a)	490,225	479,115	969,340	587,957
30th Sept. 1961	492,773	481,652	974,425	p 590,800
31st Dec. 1961	495,043	484,683	979,726	p 594,000

Note: Population figures for other than Census dates in this and following tables are estimates only. Estimates contained in this table have been revised following preliminary results of the Census of 30th June 1961.

The Metropolitan Area of Adelaide comprises the 21 municipalities listed in Table 1 on page 6. Boundaries of the Metropolitan Area have not been changed since the 1933 census.

(a) Derived at a late stage of Census tabulation; subject to very little, if any, amendment. p—Preliminary.

No. 5—Mean Population: South Australia (a)

Year	Year ended 30th June			Year ended 31st December		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
1955	409,376	398,134	807,510	415,868	404,293	820,161
1956	423,173	411,316	834,489	430,501	418,062	848,563
1957	437,080	424,330	861,410	443,313	430,888	874,201
1958	448,723	437,298	886,021	453,681	443,306	896,987
1959	458,876	449,478	908,354	465,119	455,987	921,106
1960	471,548	462,071	933,619	477,432	467,429	944,861
1961	484,051	473,078	957,129	490,277	479,082	969,359

(a) Revised following preliminary results of the Census of 30th June 1961.

No. 6—Population: Urban and Rural

Date	Number				Proportion of Total			
	Metropolitan Area	Other Urban (a)	Rural	Total (b)	Metropolitan Area	Other Urban	Rural	Total
Census—					%	%	%	%
1911 ...	189,646	36,480	179,693	408,558	46.42	8.93	43.98	100.00
1921 ...	255,375	41,637	195,054	495,160	51.57	8.41	39.39	100.00
1933 ...	312,619	51,456	214,762	580,949	53.81	8.86	36.97	100.00
1947 ...	382,454	65,911	196,007	646,073	59.20	10.20	30.34	100.00
1954 ...	483,508	110,107	201,133	797,094	60.66	13.81	25.23	100.00
1961 (c) ...	587,957	177,380	200,065	969,340	60.66	18.30	20.64	100.00
Estimates—								
30th June—								
1956 ...	517,900	327,750		848,557	61.03	38.62		100.00
1957 ...	533,600	336,250		873,166	61.11	38.51		100.00
1958 ...	547,400	346,350		896,803	61.04	38.62		100.00
1959 ...	562,300	355,600		920,898	61.06	38.61		100.00
1960 ...	576,600	365,500		945,320	61.00	38.66		100.00
1961 (c) ...	587,957	377,445		969,340	60.66	38.94		100.00
30th Sept. 1961	590,800p			974,425	60.63			100.00
31st Dec. 1961	594,000p			979,726	60.63			100.00

(a) For the 1947 Census "Other Urban" comprised all Municipal Corporations outside the Metropolitan Area; for the 1954 Census non-municipal towns of 1,000 persons or more were also included; for the 1961 Census non-municipal towns of 1,000 persons or more were included but Municipal Corporations of less than 1,000 persons were excluded. (b) Includes Migratory. (c) See note (a) Table 4. p—Preliminary.

No. 7—Population and Private Dwellings : Statistical Divisions

Statistical Division	30th June				31st December 1961 (b)
	1954 (Census)	1959 (a)	1960 (a)	1961 (Census)	
POPULATION					
Metropolitan Area	483,508	562,300	576,600	587,957	594,000
Central	108,012	131,100	137,600	146,489	150,000
Lower North	50,009	50,700	50,350	49,898	50,000
Upper North	20,946	22,800	22,850	22,944	23,000
South-Eastern	42,614	49,950	50,950	52,241	53,000
Western	34,043	38,400	40,150	42,394	43,000
Murray Mallee	47,168	50,850	51,550	52,048	52,000
Remainder of State...	8,448	11,300	11,500	11,431	11,000
Migratory	2,346	3,498	3,770	3,938	3,726
Total	797,094	920,898	945,320	969,340	979,726
PRIVATE DWELLINGS					
		(c)	(c)		(b)
Metropolitan Area	135,238	158,380	163,560		170,120
Central	31,711	39,050	41,350		45,910
Lower North	14,151	15,360	15,550		15,730
Upper North	5,399	5,930	6,000		6,120
South-Eastern	11,027	13,330	13,760		14,390
Western	8,644	9,870	10,430		11,350
Murray Mallee	12,880	14,180	14,550		14,970
Remainder of State...	1,571	1,980	2,020		2,170
Total	220,621	258,080	267,220		280,760

Note: Figures for 30th June 1961 were derived at a late stage of processing of Census returns and are subject to very little, if any, amendment.

(a) Estimates—revised following publication of 1961 Census results.

(b) Preliminary estimates.

(c) Revised estimates. Some further revision may be necessary when 1961 Census figures become available for publication.

No. 8—Increase of Population

Period	Natural Increase				Total Increase			
	Males	Females	Persons	Rate (a) (b)	Males	Females	Persons	Rate (b) (c)
Year—								
1955-56	5,407	5,774	11,181	13.40	15,624	13,353	28,977	3.54
1956-57	5,788	5,983	11,771	13.66	12,446	12,151	24,597	2.90
1957-58	5,975	6,223	12,198	13.77	10,956	12,671	23,627	2.71
1958-59	5,878	6,387	12,265	13.50	11,425	12,660	24,085	2.69
1959-60	6,377	7,044	13,421	14.38	13,073	11,339	24,412	2.65
1960-61	6,804	7,082	13,886	14.51	12,829	11,107	23,936	2.53
Year—								
1956	5,465	5,906	11,371	13.40	14,013	13,264	27,277	3.27
1957	5,924	6,036	11,960	13.68	11,856	12,435	24,291	2.82
1958	5,919	6,385	12,304	13.72	10,240	11,549	21,789	2.46
1959	5,900	6,529	12,429	13.49	13,719	12,716	26,435	2.91
1960	6,430	6,732	13,162	13.93	12,183	10,329	22,512	2.41
1961	7,036	7,550	14,586	15.05	11,371	11,341	22,712	2.37
Quarter—								
Sept. 1960	1,026	1,172	2,198	9.36	2,497	1,568	4,065	1.72
Dec.	1,857	1,816	3,673	15.54	3,818	3,809	7,627	3.21
Mar. 1961	2,159	2,135	4,294	18.09	4,521	3,299	7,820	3.27
June	1,762	1,959	3,721	15.55	1,993	2,431	4,424	1.83
Sept.	1,521	1,762	3,283	13.01	2,587	2,580	5,167	2.13
Dec.	1,594	1,694	3,288	13.57	2,270	3,031	5,301	2.18

(a) Excess of births over deaths per 1,000 of mean population.

(b) Rates for Quarterly Periods are calculated as equivalent annual rates.

(c) Increase during the period expressed as a proportion of the population (per cent) at the beginning of the period.

No. 9—Overseas Arrivals and Departures

(Embarkations and Disembarkations at S.A. ports only)

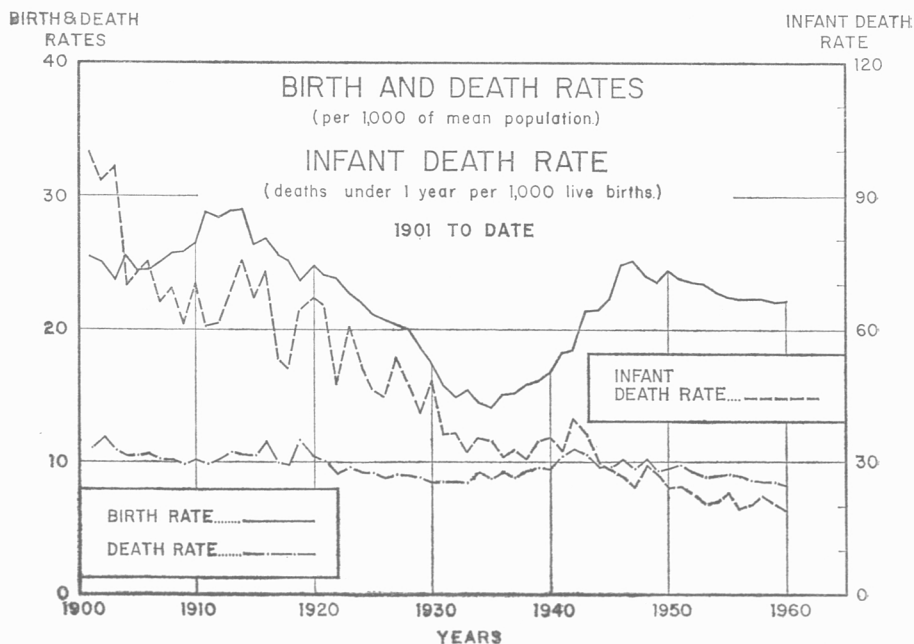
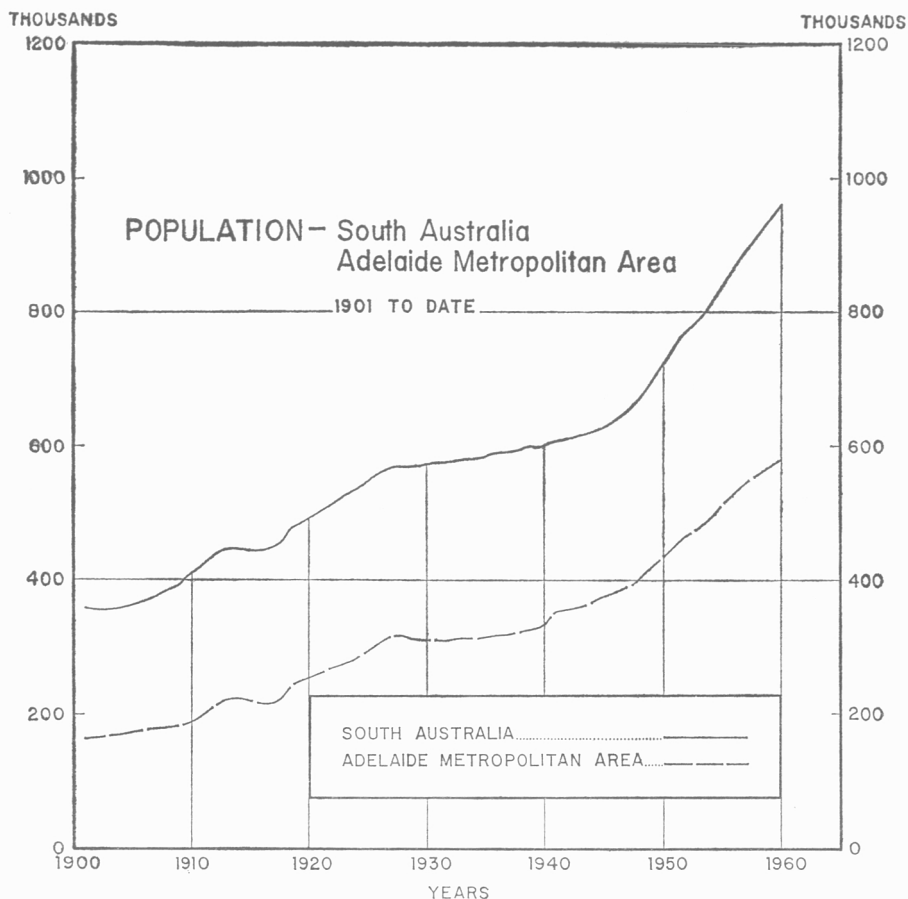
Period	Permanent and long-term movement		Short-term movement		Total		
	Males	Females	Australian Residents	Visitors	Males	Females	Persons
ARRIVALS							
Year—							
1956... ..	2,748	2,328	1,280	582	3,664	3,274	6,938
1957... ..	2,642	2,534	1,096	520	3,455	3,337	6,792
1958... ..	2,629	2,904	1,208	632	3,647	3,726	7,373
1959... ..	3,455	3,264	1,041	803	4,628	3,935	8,563
1960... ..	2,990	2,786	1,263	664	4,107	3,596	7,703
1961... ..	3,443	3,365	906	624	4,377	3,961	8,338
Quarter—							
Sept. 1960... ..	466	459	213	127	687	578	1,265
Dec.	657	635	587	181	1,062	998	2,060
Mar. 1961... ..	1,069	992	250	197	1,349	1,159	2,508
June	1,040	1,058	177	173	1,243	1,205	2,448
Sept.	740	673	145	86	905	739	1,644
Dec.	594	642	334	168	880	858	1,738
DEPARTURES							
Year—							
1956... ..	813	785	1,269	770	1,999	1,638	3,637
1957... ..	774	655	892	832	1,891	1,262	3,153
1958... ..	1,187	971	1,251	671	2,364	1,716	4,080
1959... ..	1,460	1,123	1,428	929	2,940	2,000	4,940
1960... ..	1,541	1,299	2,235	884	3,373	2,586	5,959
1961... ..	1,368	1,155	2,206	766	3,127	2,368	5,495
Quarter—							
Sept. 1960... ..	388	378	378	206	743	607	1,350
Dec.	346	346	510	239	804	637	1,441
Mar. 1961... ..	316	267	654	206	808	635	1,443
June	223	168	621	184	720	476	1,196
Sept.	372	321	359	102	649	505	1,154
Dec.	457	399	572	274	950	752	1,702

Note: Permanent and long-term movement relates to persons who intend to reside in Australia (arrivals) or abroad (departures) for one year or more.

No. 10—Naturalizations

Nationality	Persons Naturalized					
	1956 (a)	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Czechoslovakian... ..	226	200	137	63	32	20
Dutch... ..	238	421	676	603	643	440
Estonian... ..	245	216	137	61	48	16
German... ..	115	470	655	901	1,244	737
Greek... ..	85	112	180	311	804	555
Hungarian... ..	353	365	183	91	99	66
Italian... ..	564	934	1,462	1,282	1,365	1,033
Jugoslav... ..	644	565	454	287	237	181
Latvian... ..	746	712	449	291	190	84
Lithuanian... ..	333	394	291	137	74	65
Polish... ..	1,144	1,470	1,539	845	513	303
Roumanian... ..	57	44	43	19	21	9
Russian... ..	30	84	84	32	23	16
Ukrainian... ..	622	730	552	318	193	86
Stateless... ..	167	155	71	49	66	34
Other... ..	148	157	184	142	243	201
Total	5,717	7,029	7,097	5,432	5,795	3,846
Allens Registered at end of year	61,000	62,450	67,900	60,200	61,000	61,550

(a) Naturalizations for 1956 exclude children under 16 years of age.



No. 11—Births

Period	Live Births (a)				Masculinity (a) (c)	Ex-nuptial Births (a)
	Males	Females	Persons	Rate (b)		
Year—						
1956	9,708	9,256	18,964	22.35	104.88	641
1957	10,028	9,508	19,536	22.35	105.47	650
1958	10,181	9,866	20,047	22.35	103.20	735
1959	10,325	10,047	20,372	22.12	102.77	735
1960	10,760	10,206	20,966	22.19	105.43	733
1961	11,402	10,997	22,399	23.11	103.68	1,026
Quarter—						
Dec. 1960 ...	2,903	2,704	5,607	23.53	107.36	242
Mar. 1961 ...	3,210	3,042	6,252	26.30	105.35	264
June	2,797	2,678	5,475	22.88	103.98	246
Sept.	2,810	2,808	5,618	23.33	100.07	278
Dec.	2,585	2,469	5,054	20.86	104.70	238
Mar. 1962 p	2,647	2,561	5,208	21.38	103.36	209

(a) Registrations recorded during period. Some fluctuations have followed a change in registration procedure in January 1960.

(b) Per 1,000 of mean population. Quarterly rates are expressed as equivalent annual rates.

(c) Males per 100 females.

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No. 12—Deaths

Period	Deaths (a)				Infant Deaths (under 1 year) (a)	
	Males	Females	Persons	Rate (b)	Number	Rate (c)
Year—						
1956	4,243	3,350	7,593	8.95	377	19.88
1957	4,101	3,475	7,576	8.67	403	20.63
1958	4,262	3,481	7,743	8.63	449	22.40
1959	4,425	3,518	7,943	8.62	421	20.71
1960	4,330	3,474	7,804	8.26	397	18.94
1961	4,362	3,453	7,815	8.06	448	20.00
Quarter—						
Dec. 1960 ...	1,046	888	1,934	8.12	101	18.01
Mar. 1961 ...	1,051	907	1,958	8.24	97	15.52
June	1,031	725	1,756	7.34	105	19.18
Sept.	1,289	1,046	2,335	9.70	145	25.81
Dec.	991	775	1,766	7.29	101	19.98
Mar. 1962 p	934	819	1,753	7.20	94	18.05

(a) Registrations recorded during period.

(b) Per 1,000 of mean population. Quarterly rates are expressed as equivalent annual rates.

(c) Per 1,000 live births.

p—Preliminary.

No. 13—Causes of Death

Principal Causes	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Heart Disease—						
Arteriosclerotic and Degenerative ...	2,322	2,125	2,162	2,220	2,435	2,387
With Hypertension	172	134	170	148	162	107
Other	260	283	299	295	294	285
Total Heart Disease	2,754	2,542	2,631	2,663	2,891	2,779
Tuberculosis (all forms)	44	42	62	47	40	54
Malignant Neoplasms	986	1,129	1,128	1,127	1,147	1,224
Diabetes	87	76	78	94	100	82
Cerebral haemorrhage, thrombosis, etc. ...	1,059	1,035	1,157	1,153	1,101	1,116
Pneumonia	349	403	344	355	284	239
Bronchitis	75	62	66	91	103	102
Nephritis and Nephrosis	92	84	77	69	52	63
Congenital Malformations	92	117	111	102	116	130
Other Diseases of Early Infancy	219	219	219	228	194	227
Senility	145	99	100	132	86	99
Accidents	448	495	499	505	488	497
Suicides	102	118	120	91	117	116
All other	1,141	1,155	1,151	1,286	1,085	1,087
Total	7,593	7,576	7,743	7,943	7,804	7,815

No. 14—Marriages (a)

Particulars	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Total marriages	6,277	6,581	6,505	6,614	6,607	6,804
Marriage Rate (b)	7.39	7.53	7.25	7.18	6.99	7.02
Conjugal condition—						
Bridegroom—						
Bachelor	5,633	5,915	5,830	5,934	5,966	6,085
Widower	286	287	316	309	289	295
Divorced	358	379	359	371	352	424
Bride—						
Spinster	5,495	5,795	5,753	5,851	5,870	6,006
Widow... ..	311	341	319	352	323	336
Divorced	471	445	433	411	414	462
Age (years)—						
Bridegroom—						
Under 18	26	23	23	16	20	22
18-20	448	486	562	609	617	701
21-24	2,302	2,472	2,461	2,543	2,768	2,778
25-29	1,829	1,847	1,742	1,730	1,588	1,647
30 and over	1,672	1,753	1,717	1,716	1,614	1,656
Bride—						
Under 18	359	395	415	453	461	497
18-20	1,846	2,035	2,042	2,107	2,190	2,278
21-24	2,046	2,172	2,166	2,223	2,262	2,340
25-29	898	853	796	746	689	663
30 and over	1,128	1,126	1,086	1,085	1,005	1,026
Quarter						
	Dec. 1960	Mar. 1961	June 1961	Sept. 1961	Dec. 1961	Mar. 1962
Total marriages	1,700	1,649	1,829	1,516	1,810	1,742

(a) Registrations recorded during the period.

(b) Per 1,000 of mean population.

No. 15—Divorces: Decrees Absolute

Particulars	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960
Total Divorces Absolute	624	567	529	483	503	610
Grounds—						
Adultery	238	208	190	203	175	274
Desertion	251	239	209	190	224	217
Habitual cruelty	113	103	111	82	90	103
Insanity	4	—	3	1	5	3
Drunkenness	9	11	9	4	4	9
Other	9	6	7	3	5	4
Duration of marriage (years)—						
Under 5	65	62	59	39	42	57
5-9	210	203	179	150	180	180
10-14	147	130	125	142	118	174
15-19	90	85	79	78	82	86
20 and over	112	87	87	74	81	113
Age at marriage of persons divorced—						
Husband—						
Under 18	Not Available			1	8	6
18-20				48	49	54
21-24				185	194	234
25-29				144	143	169
30 and over (a)				105	109	147
Wife—						
Under 18				35	39	51
18-20				172	153	186
21-24				144	155	206
25-29				66	77	78
30 and over (a)				66	79	89

(a) Includes a small number age not stated.

No. 16—Commonwealth Pensions and Benefits
(National Welfare Fund and War and Service Pension Payments in South Australia)

Particulars	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
NUMBER OF PENSIONERS AT 30TH JUNE						
National Welfare Fund—						
Age	41,783	43,645	45,507	47,970	49,479	51,989
Invalid (a)	5,971	6,564	7,192	7,211	7,857	8,494
Widows—						
Class A	1,548	1,689	1,809	1,863	1,926	2,089
Other	1,957	2,094	2,257	2,480	2,513	2,808
Child Endowment—						
Families	122,425	127,356	132,079	136,139	139,985	142,663
Children	261,074	275,684	287,850	298,308	309,327	318,996
War (b)	63,294	64,739	66,020	67,147	67,699	67,484
Service (b)	3,241	3,552	3,832	4,184	4,314	5,211

PAYMENTS DURING YEAR (£'000)						
National Welfare Fund—						
Age and invalid (a)	8,859	9,622	10,716	11,575	13,183	14,269
Widows	609	735	844	947	1,045	1,189
Child endowment	5,499	5,250	5,430	6,309	5,897	7,046
Maternity allowance	305	319	323	328	337	359
Unemployment	11	114	306	362	249	343
Sickness	134	136	157	183	172	158
National Health Benefits	3,070	3,355	3,852	4,934	5,988	6,405
Other	137	146	168	162	159	167
Total N.W.F.	18,624	19,677	21,796	24,800	27,030	29,936
War (b)	4,136	4,309	4,812	4,846	5,052	5,686
Service (b)	401	477	520	584	644	763

FORTNIGHTLY PENSION						
	s	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Maximum—						
Age	160	0	160	0	175	0
Invalid	160	0	160	0	175	0
Widows—						
Class A (c)	170	0	170	0	185	0
Other	135	0	135	0	150	0
Child endowment (per child) (d)	20	0	20	0	20	0
Service	160	0	160	0	175	0
Average—						
Age	153	0	152	9	166	9
Invalid	157	8	156	11	171	8
Widows—Class A	(c) 145	9 (e)	184	3 (f)	202	4 (f)
Child endowment (per family)	32	8	33	0	33	7
War	51	4	51	9	55	11
Service	102	10	103	11	108	8

- (a) Includes allowances to wives of invalids and to wives of invalids on behalf of children.
 (b) Includes Northern Territory. Includes pensions paid to dependents.
 (c) Excludes amounts payable in respect of second and subsequent children under 16 years of age.
 (d) 10s. per fortnight for first child.
 (e) Average of all classes.
 (f) Includes amounts payable in respect of second and subsequent children under 16 years of age.

No. 17—Unemployment and Sickness Benefits

Period	Unemployment Benefits			Sickness Benefits		
	Admitted to Benefit	On Benefit at End of Period	Amount Paid	Admitted to Benefit	On Benefit at End of Period	Amount Paid
	No.	No.	£	No.	No.	£
Year—						
1955-56	1,061	319	10,960	5,036	651	134,243
1956-57	6,510	1,054	113,653	4,898	608	136,332
1957-58	10,473	2,258	305,549	4,737	645	157,379
1958-59	8,727	1,332	362,402	5,059	637	182,786
1959-60	7,659	1,380	249,078	5,043	603	171,941
1960-61	12,543	4,042	342,835	4,760	659	158,428
Quarter—						
Dec. 1960	1,126	875	43,689	1,177	482	41,862
Mar. 1961	3,625	2,068	59,076	1,125	589	35,872
June	6,116	4,042	169,457	1,254	659	38,664
Sept.	8,722	6,273	243,536	1,348	675	40,765
Dec.	4,184	3,695	238,842	1,276	591	44,931
Mar. 1962	4,653	2,599	206,163	1,281	782	47,850

Note: Special benefits (not included above) of £7,933 paid in March quarter 1962.

No. 18—Hospital and Medical Benefits in South Australia

Particulars	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
HOSPITAL BENEFITS						
Organizations at end of period	16	15	14	14	14	14
Membership at end of period ... ('000)	181.9	198.7	217.4	257.3	293.7	314.8
Benefits paid—						
Commonwealth ordinary ... (£'000)	664.7	714.6	735.1	746.3	820.1	824.7
Commonwealth additional ... (£'000)	82.3	100.4	193.2	478.5	638.8 (a)	782.7 (a)
Fund ... (£'000)	353.7	473.5	639.5	851.0	1,136.3	1,493.5
Total benefits (£'000)	1,100.7	1,288.5	1,567.8	2,075.8	2,595.2	3,100.9
MEDICAL BENEFITS						
Organizations at end of period	9	9	9	9	9	9
Membership at end of period ... ('000)	170.1	196.2	212.1	241.8	262.8	273.8
Cost of medical services—						
Met by Commonwealth benefit (£'000)	491.1	590.0	707.5	795.8	984.0 (a)	1,038.9 (a)
Met by Fund benefit ... (£'000)	525.8	655.5	781.2	898.7	1,179.5	1,355.8
Met by Insured member ... (£'000)	541.2	605.9	718.6	786.3	879.9	1,159.7
Total cost of services (£'000)	1,558.1	1,851.4	2,207.3	2,480.8	3,043.4	3,554.4

(a) Excludes payments towards special account deficits.

No. 19—Public Hospitals (a)

Particulars	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
GENERAL HOSPITALS						
Number of hospitals	65	65	64	65	65	66
Medical staff	575	590	589	662	703	731
Nursing staff and attendants	3,856	4,023	4,318	4,883	5,341	5,566
Patients—						
Admitted and re-admitted	66,839	70,637	72,791	76,899	80,236	84,572
Daily average	2,530	2,559	2,527	2,644	2,683	2,758
Number at end of year	2,612	2,491	2,527	2,712	2,814	2,726
Government Expenditure (net) ... (£'000)	4,107	5,685	5,213	5,130	5,237	5,078
MENTAL HOSPITALS						
Number of hospitals	2	2	2	2	2	2
Patients—						
Admitted and re-admitted	553	543	659	712	680	748
Daily average	2,539	2,551	2,570	2,579	2,507	2,454
Number at end of year	2,658	2,594	2,667	2,643	2,564	2,506
Government Expenditure (net) ... (£'000)	991	1,206	1,198	1,000	1,081	1,168

(a) Government and Government-assisted hospitals only.

No. 20—Government Expenditure on Education

Particulars	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
£'000						
Education Department (a)	5,113	5,588	6,134	7,213	8,379	9,504
Technical schools	1,009	1,164	1,261	1,570	1,859	2,133
University—						
Commonwealth grant	197	271	413	664	893	1,090
State	560	506	556	704	744	1,084
Libraries and Institutes	179	192	220	233	251	290
Other (b)	1,588	1,769	2,154	2,499	2,846	3,056
Total	8,646	9,490	10,738	12,883	14,972	17,157
Cost per head of population	s. d. 207 3	s. d. 220 4	s. d. 242 5	s. d. 283 8	s. d. 320 9	s. d. 358 6

(a) Excludes Technical Schools.

(b) Includes Kindergartens, Roseworthy College, interest, sinking fund, etc.

No. 21—Government and Non-Government Schools

Particulars	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS						
Schools	688	r 681	r 673	r 667	r 680	687
Teachers	6,074	6,576	7,181	7,903	8,734	9,448
Scholars (at 1st August)—						
Primary	114,273	119,300	123,701	127,342	130,007	132,456
Secondary	20,985	23,956	27,374	31,954	36,707	40,742
Total Scholars ...	135,258	143,256	151,075	159,296	166,714	173,198
NON-GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS						
Schools	161	161	161	162	163	165
Teachers	1,254	1,264	1,326	1,345	1,392	1,442
Scholars (at 1st August)—						
Primary	21,840	22,383	23,383	24,101	r 24,790	24,880
Secondary	7,386	8,152	8,884	9,716	r 10,580	11,102
Total Scholars ...	29,226	30,535	32,267	33,817	r 35,370	35,982

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No. 22—University of Adelaide

Particulars	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Staff—						
Teaching and research	366	389	429	489	505	766
Other	351	375	414	474	517	598
Students—						
Undergraduates	2,421	3,000	3,327	3,659	3,988	4,443
Post-graduates	340	377	362	374	385	484
Non-graduating	1,067	1,047	1,127	1,267	1,350	1,323
Conservatorium	453	335	373	414	387	405
Total Students ...	4,281	4,759	5,189	5,714	6,110	6,655

No. 23—Police and Prisons

Particulars	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
Number of police (a)	1,132	1,167	1,247	1,297	1,334	1,431
Number of prison staff	144	161	185	217	225	242
Number of prisoners—						
Received to serve sentence	3,087	3,692	3,787	3,882	4,388	4,585
Daily average in prison	435	519	589	587	602	636
In prison at end of year—						
Under Sentence—						
Males	447	559	520	566	551	580
Females	10	10	6	11	19	12
Awaiting trial—						
Males	40	67	54	57	59	53
Females	—	2	2	—	—	3
Total in prison ...	497	638	582	634	629	648

(a) Active Police Force strength; excludes Junior Constables, Civil Staff, Women's Police Auxiliary, etc.

No. 24—Courts

Particulars		1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
SUPREME AND CIRCUIT COURTS (a)							
Persons—							
Tried		401	499	504	545	617	639
Convicted		362	459	457	499	580	606
MAGISTRATES COURTS (b)							
Cases Heard		31,799	34,399	36,305	38,003	47,427	59,534
Convictions—							
Under 18 years—							
Males		2,060	1,960	2,112	2,368	3,032	3,197
Females		203	216	204	230	283	346
18 years and over—							
Males		24,918	27,384	29,145	30,332	37,600	46,291
Females		1,040	1,098	1,160	1,273	1,616	2,321
Total convictions		28,221	30,658	32,621	34,203	42,531	52,155

(a) Criminal proceedings only (for years ending 31st December).

(b) Includes both police and private cases (for years ending 30th June).

No. 25—Bankruptcy

Period		Number (a)	Liabilities	Assets	Excess of liabilities over assets
			£	£	£
Year—					
1956		150	428,253	285,775	142,478
1957		244	635,535	374,831	260,704
1958		278	683,865	338,581	345,284
1959		366	830,428	444,966	385,462
1960		366	673,561	392,042	281,519
1961	r	560	1,903,141	991,889	911,252
Quarters—					
Sept. 1960		109	178,804	81,654	97,150
Dec.		81	191,376	112,584	78,792
Mar. 1961		117	343,129	166,914	176,215
June		154	660,267	390,432	269,835
Sept.	r	154	559,859	217,264	342,595
Dec.	r	135	339,886	217,279	122,607
Mar. 1962		125	276,840	125,534	151,306

(a) Total number of sequestrations, deeds, compositions, etc.

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No. 26—Consumption of Alcoholic Beverages

Year	Total consumption		Consumption per head of population	
	Beer	Spirits	Beer	Spirits
	Gal.	Pf Gal.	Gal.	Pf Gal.
1955-56	17,712,000	251,395	21·22	0·30
1956-57	16,609,000	240,533	19·28	0·28
1957-58	16,673,000	250,278	18·82	0·28
1958-59	16,206,000	281,637	17·84	0·31
1959-60	16,653,000	314,268	17·72	0·33
1960-61	16,905,000	278,987	17·66	0·29

Note: Wine consumption figures are not available for South Australia, but the estimated Commonwealth consumption was 1·2 gallons per head of population in 1959-60.

No. 27—Wage and Salary Earners in Employment (a)

Month		Total Employ- ment	Classified by—											
			Type of Employer			Industrial Group								
			Government		Private	Facto- ries (b)	Build- ing and Con- struc- tion	Trans- port and Com- muni- cation	Retail Trade	Other Com- merce and Finance	Profes- sional and Per- sonal Services (c)	Other		
			State	Other										
MALES ('000)														
June 1947	140.9	21.2	19.6	100.1	54.6	13.1	23.3	10.6	14.4	13.1	11.8	
1956	187.9	28.9	28.2	130.8	73.7	21.6	29.0	12.4	20.5	16.7	14.0	
1957	186.4	29.0	29.9	127.5	72.6	20.3	29.0	12.1	20.7	17.4	14.3	
1958	186.0	29.2	29.9	126.9	73.0	19.0	28.6	12.3	20.7	17.7	14.7	
1959	192.0	30.5	31.2	130.3	75.8	20.6	28.7	12.4	20.9	18.6	15.0	
1960	196.6	29.7	31.7	135.2	79.5	19.3	28.2	13.2	21.4	19.7	15.3	
Sept. 1960	196.4	30.1	31.7	134.6	79.8	19.0	28.3	13.0	21.4	19.8	15.1	
Dec. 1960	197.2	30.1	31.7	135.4	79.7	19.2	28.1	13.3	21.8	20.0	15.1	
Mar. 1961	196.8	31.1	32.8	132.9	77.1	20.4	28.5	13.1	22.0	20.1	15.6	
June 1961	195.3	32.0	33.1	130.2	75.2	20.7	28.2	13.0	21.9	20.6	15.7	
Sept. 1961	190.4	32.1	33.1	125.2	71.0	20.1	27.8	12.8	21.9	21.1	15.7	
Dec. 1961	195.7	31.8	32.9	131.0	76.6	19.5	27.4	13.2	21.9	21.3	15.8	
Jan. 1962	196.5	31.4	33.8	131.3	77.6	19.6	27.4	13.0	21.9	21.1	15.9	
Feb. 1962	196.8	31.4	34.0	131.4	78.2	19.6	27.4	12.7	21.8	20.9	16.2	
FEMALES ('000)														
June 1947	48.0	4.9	3.6	39.5	13.3	0.3	2.5	10.4	4.5	15.4	1.6	
1956	62.5	8.4	5.0	49.1	15.7	0.5	3.5	12.8	7.5	20.5	2.0	
1957	62.4	8.8	5.0	48.6	15.8	0.5	3.5	12.3	7.6	20.8	1.9	
1958	63.4	9.4	5.1	48.9	15.9	0.5	3.6	12.2	7.7	21.5	2.0	
1959	65.9	10.5	5.3	50.1	16.4	0.5	3.5	12.6	7.8	23.0	2.1	
1960	69.8	11.4	5.5	52.9	17.6	0.5	3.7	13.2	8.1	24.5	2.2	
Sept. 1960	70.6	11.5	5.6	53.5	18.1	0.5	3.6	13.3	8.2	24.6	2.3	
Dec. 1960	70.8	11.5	5.4	53.9	17.9	0.5	3.6	13.5	8.5	24.5	2.3	
Mar. 1961	70.9	11.8	5.8	53.3	17.8	0.5	3.7	13.2	8.5	24.9	2.3	
June 1961	69.6	12.5	5.7	51.4	15.9	0.5	3.7	13.0	8.3	25.9	2.3	
Sept. 1961	69.2	12.6	5.7	50.9	15.3	0.5	3.6	12.9	8.3	26.1	2.5	
Dec. 1961	71.1	12.5	5.6	53.0	16.4	0.5	3.6	13.7	8.1	26.3	2.5	
Jan. 1962	71.9	12.5	5.7	53.7	17.2	0.5	3.5	13.5	8.4	26.2	2.6	
Feb. 1962	72.3	12.8	5.9	53.6	17.4	0.5	3.6	13.2	8.4	27.3	1.9	
PERSONS ('000)														
June 1947	188.9	26.1	23.2	139.6	67.9	13.4	25.8	21.0	18.9	28.5	13.4	
1956	250.4	37.3	33.2	179.9	89.4	22.1	32.5	25.2	28.0	37.2	16.0	
1957	248.8	37.8	34.9	176.1	88.4	20.8	32.5	24.4	28.3	38.2	16.2	
1958	249.4	38.6	35.0	175.8	88.9	19.5	32.2	24.5	28.4	39.2	16.7	
1959	257.9	41.0	36.5	180.4	92.2	21.1	32.2	25.0	28.7	41.6	17.1	
1960	266.4	41.1	37.2	188.1	97.1	19.8	31.9	26.4	29.5	44.2	17.5	
Sept. 1960	267.0	41.6	37.3	188.1	97.9	19.5	31.9	26.3	29.6	44.4	17.4	
Dec. 1960	268.0	41.6	37.1	189.3	97.6	19.7	31.7	26.8	30.3	44.5	17.4	
Mar. 1961	267.7	42.9	38.6	186.2	94.9	20.9	32.2	26.3	30.5	45.0	17.9	
June 1961	264.9	44.5	38.8	181.6	91.1	21.2	31.9	26.0	30.2	46.5	18.0	
Sept. 1961	259.6	44.7	38.8	176.1	86.3	20.6	31.4	25.7	30.2	47.2	18.2	
Dec. 1961	266.8	44.3	38.5	184.0	93.0	20.0	31.0	26.9	30.0	47.6	18.3	
Jan. 1962	268.4	43.9	39.5	185.0	94.8	20.1	30.9	26.5	30.3	47.3	18.5	
Feb. 1962	269.1	44.2	39.9	185.0	95.6	20.1	31.0	25.9	30.2	48.2	18.1	

(a) Excludes employees in rural industry (see Table No. 39), female private domestics, and defence forces. Estimated total employment is obtained from annual Factory Censuses, returns of Government employment, Pay-roll Tax returns, and other direct collections.

(b) Details subsequent to June 1960 are preliminary estimates based on Pay-roll Tax returns.

(c) Includes employees in education, health, hotels and restaurants, professional and personal services (except private domestic).

No. 28—Average Weekly Wages Paid and Average Earnings (a) (b)

Year	September Quarter	December Quarter	March Quarter	June Quarter	Year Ended June
AVERAGE WEEKLY TOTAL WAGES AND SALARIES PAID (£'000)					
1950-51	2,151	2,291	2,482	2,741	2,416
1956-57	4,479	4,611	4,343	4,595	4,507
1957-58	4,619	4,772	4,480	4,668	4,635
1958-59	4,777	4,984	4,599	4,930	4,823
1959-60	5,248	5,423	5,288	5,609	5,392
1960-61	5,652	5,876	5,503	5,646	5,670
1961-62	5,651	5,953			
AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS PER EMPLOYED MALE UNIT (c) (£)					
1950-51	9.96	10.61	11.21	12.31	11.02
1956-57	18.26	18.83	17.53	18.50	18.28
1957-58	18.66	19.25	18.01	18.79	18.68
1958-59	19.17	19.89	18.14	19.20	19.10
1959-60	20.31	20.82	20.09	21.22	20.61
1960-61	21.35	22.11	20.70	21.39	21.39
1961-62	21.66	22.54			

(a) Includes, in addition to wages at award rates, earnings of salaried employees, overtime earnings, over-award and bonus payments, etc.

(b) Includes Northern Territory.

(c) Total wages as above divided by total civilian employment expressed in male units. Male units represent total male employment plus a proportion of female employment based on the approximate ratio of female to male earnings.

No. 29—Basic Wages

Federal Basic Wage for South Australia and State Living Wage

Month First Operative	Adelaide (a)		Whyalla (a)	Other Country Districts (b)
	Males	Females	Males	Males
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1950 February	129 0	70 3	134 0	126 0
May	131 0	71 5	136 0	128 0
August	134 0	73 2	139 0	131 0
November	137 0	74 11	142 0	134 0
December	158 0	118 6	163 0	155 0
1951 February	166 0	124 6	171 0	163 0
May	171 0	128 6	176 0	168 0
August	184 0	138 0	189 0	181 0
November	195 0	146 0	200 0	192 0
1952 February	205 0	153 6	210 0	202 0
May	211 0	158 0	216 0	208 0
August	224 0	168 0	229 0	221 0
November	229 0	171 6	234 0	226 0
1953 February	225 0	168 6	230 0	222 0
May	228 0	171 0	233 0	225 0
August	231 0	173 0	236 0	228 0
1956 June	241 0	180 6	246 0	238 0
1957 May	251 0	188 0	256 0	248 0
1958 May	256 0	192 0	261 0	253 0
1959 June	271 0	203 0	276 0	268 0
1961 March	271 0	203 0	276 0	(c) 271 0
July	283 0	212 0	288 0	283 0

(a) Federal Basic Wage and State Living Wage have been the same since 1st February 1950.

(b) Federal Basic Wage only. The State Living Wage is the same as that in Adelaide.

(c) First operative in January 1961 for some Unions.

THOUSANDS
300

THOUSANDS
300

WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN EMPLOYMENT

(Excluding rural, defence forces and
female domestics.)

1942 TO DATE



POUNDS PER WEEK

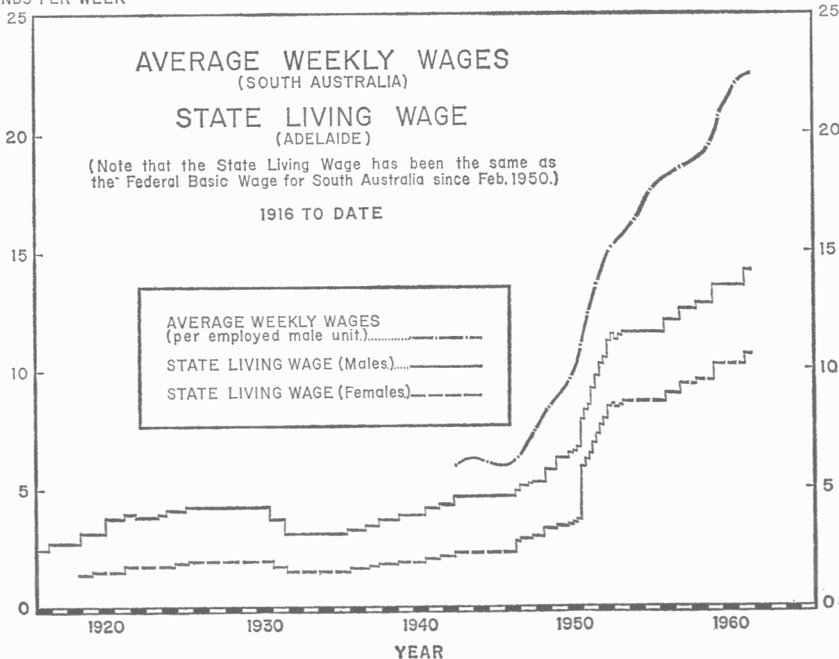
POUNDS PER WEEK

AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES (SOUTH AUSTRALIA)

STATE LIVING WAGE (ADELAIDE)

(Note that the State Living Wage has been the same as
the Federal Basic Wage for South Australia since Feb. 1950.)

1916 TO DATE



No. 30—Minimum Weekly Wage Rates (a)

Date	Rates of Wage				Index Numbers (d)	
	Adult Males			Adult Females (All Awards)	Adult Males	Adult Females
	Commonwealth Awards (b)	State Awards (c)	All Awards			
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.		
31st Dec. 1954...	285 0	274 2	281 7	199 11	99.7	100.4
1955...	287 9	279 3	285 0	201 9	100.9	101.3
1956...	298 10	291 3	296 4	209 3	104.9	105.1
1957...	309 2	302 3	306 11	219 6	108.7	110.3
1958...	314 6	307 11	312 5	223 9	110.6	112.4
1959...	344 9	329 8	339 11	239 1	120.4	120.1
1960...	345 4	334 10	342 1	242 10	121.1	122.0
31st Mar. 1961...	345 7	334 10	342 3	242 10	121.2	r 122.0
30th June ...	345 7	334 10	342 3	242 10	121.2	122.0
30th Sept. ...	357 9	347 2	354 5	251 11	125.5	126.5
31st Dec. ...	357 7	347 8	354 7	251 11	125.6	126.5
28th Feb. 1962...	357 8	347 9	354 7	n.a.	125.6	n.a.

(a) Weighted average of minimum weekly wage rates payable for a full week's work (excluding overtime) as prescribed in awards, determinations, and agreements.

(b) Awards of, or agreements registered with, the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission and determinations of the Commonwealth Public Service Arbitrator.

(c) Awards or determinations of, or agreements registered with, State industrial tribunals, together with certain unregistered agreements, where these are dominant in the particular industries to which they refer.

(d) Base: Australia, 1954 = 100.

r—Revised.

n.a.—Not available.

No. 31—Minimum Weekly Wage Rates and Hours of Work: Industrial Groups (a)

Industrial Group	Weekly Rates of Wages (31st December)				Weekly Hours of Work (31st December)			
	1958	1959	1960	1961	1958	1959	1960	1961
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	Hours	Hours	Hours	Hours
ADULT MALES								
All industrial groups	312 5	339 11	342 1	354 7	39.96	39.96	39.96	39.96
Mining and quarrying	308 1	333 8	336 6	347 4	39.71	39.71	39.71	40.00
All manufacturing groups	313 10	341 11	343 3	355 7	39.98	39.98	39.98	39.98
Engineering, metal works, etc. ...	316 3	345 4	345 8	357 10	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Textiles, clothing, and footwear ...	301 6	322 11	328 3	340 3	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Food, drink, and tobacco	308 5	334 8	336 6	348 8	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Sawmilling, furniture, etc.	310 11	340 3	340 8	353 10	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Paper, printing, etc.	334 8	358 8	368 6	381 2	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Other manufacturing	308 0	336 0	338 0	350 5	39.90	39.90	39.90	39.90
Building and construction	311 2	338 2	341 3	353 9	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Railway services	301 7	329 10	329 10	342 0	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Road and air transport	305 4	332 1	335 11	347 11	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Shipping and stevedoring	313 4	339 9	343 3	355 3	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Communication	338 9	380 7	380 7	392 7	39.59	39.59	39.59	39.59
Wholesale and retail trade	312 8	337 8	341 7	355 3	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Public administration and professional Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc.	301 4	326 0	327 0	339 3	39.23	39.23	39.23	39.23
	300 5	319 5	326 9	339 0	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
ADULT FEMALES								
All industrial groups	223 9	239 1	242 10	251 11	39.77	39.77	39.77	39.77
All manufacturing groups	220 4	235 2	238 8	247 8	39.97	39.97	39.97	39.97
Engineering, metal works, etc. ...	220 3	234 4	238 5	247 5	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Textiles, clothing, and footwear ...	221 8	238 2	241 2	250 2	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Food, drink, and tobacco	219 6	233 6	237 3	246 3	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Other manufacturing	219 6	234 2	237 2	246 4	39.86	39.86	39.86	39.86
Transport and communication	229 8	251 2	253 0	262 6	37.84	37.84	37.84	37.84
Wholesale and retail trade	229 11	244 11	249 8	258 8	40.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
Public administration and professional Amusement, hotels, personal service, etc.	224 6	240 2	245 0	253 11	39.19	39.19	39.19	39.19
	213 9	227 4	229 7	238 11	39.85	39.85	39.85	39.85

(a) Weighted average of minimum weekly wage rates payable for a full week's work (excluding overtime), and weekly hours of work, as prescribed in awards, determinations, and agreements.

n.a.—Not available.

No. 32—Industrial Disputes

Period		Number of Disputes	Workers Involved	Working Days Lost	Estimated Loss in Wages
		No.	No.	No.	£
Year—					
1956	...	21	18,527	74,666	259,636
1957	...	13	6,281	3,703	12,571
1958	...	22	8,191	9,338	34,540
1959	...	21	5,437	7,487	24,950
1960	...	42	25,747	16,568	61,820
1961	...	26	17,333	17,256	66,785
Quarter—					
September 1960	...	15	9,650	7,801	30,258
December	...	8	5,293	3,735	13,633
March 1961	...	11	5,110	4,653	18,695
June	...	9	11,667	11,933	45,277
September	...	5	464	624	2,713
December	...	1	92	46	100

No. 33—Unemployment (a)

(Registered with Commonwealth Employment Service)

At end of—	Persons Registered (b)			Vacancies Registered		
	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total
Quarter—						
June 1956	1,319	629	1,948	1,752	342	2,094
Sept.	1,701	714	2,415	1,279	463	1,742
Dec.	2,198	675	2,873	1,081	587	1,668
Mar. 1957	1,493	1,046	2,539	1,020	345	1,365
June	2,261	1,102	3,363	786	298	1,084
Sept.	2,312	984	3,296	984	401	1,385
Dec.	2,440	1,144	3,584	908	522	1,430
Mar. 1958	3,107	1,500	4,607	704	346	1,050
June	3,548	1,534	5,082	694	254	948
Sept.	3,090	1,426	4,516	932	362	1,344
Dec.	2,482	1,349	3,831	1,316	743	2,059
Mar. 1959	2,231	1,846	4,077	1,208	318	1,526
June	2,012	1,946	3,958	1,226	355	1,581
Sept.	1,728	1,965	3,693	1,432	393	1,825
Dec.	1,959	1,803	3,762	1,643	632	2,275
Mar. 1960	2,034	2,104	4,138	1,577	412	1,989
June	2,523	2,024	4,547	1,175	313	1,488
Sept.	1,658	1,783	3,441	1,693	514	2,207
Dec.	1,855	2,063	3,918	2,198	486	2,684
Mar. 1961	4,564	3,069	7,633	1,233	340	1,573
Month—						
Apr. 1961	4,711	3,387	8,098	944	268	1,212
May	4,948	3,585	8,533	779	252	1,031
June	5,710	3,325	9,035	538	224	762
July	6,581	3,472	10,053	637	238	875
Aug.	6,405	3,238	9,643	607	285	892
Sept.	9,045	3,103	12,148	771	292	1,063
Oct.	5,374	2,814	8,188	839	360	1,199
Nov.	4,865	2,667	7,532	996	426	1,422
Dec.	5,353	3,202	8,555	1,006	396	1,402
Jan. 1962	6,676	3,585	10,261	980	360	1,340
Feb.	4,600	3,545	8,145	1,137	318	1,455
Mar.	4,000	3,180	7,180	1,124	348	1,472
Apr.	4,160	3,261	7,421	1,120	382	1,502

Note: Unemployment Benefits—See Table 17.

(a) Includes Northern Territory.

(b) Persons who claimed when registering that they were not employed and who were recorded as unemployed. Includes those referred to employers and those who may have obtained employment without notifying the Commonwealth Employment Service. Includes also recipients of unemployment benefit.

No. 34—Land Tenure

Type of Tenure	At 31st December					Proportion to Area of State, 1961
	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	
	'000 Acres					%
Sold, dedicated, etc.—						
Sold	14,068	14,217	14,321	14,440	14,496	5.96
Under agreement to purchase	490	464	467	464	486	0.20
Free grants and dedications	1,184	1,184	1,184	1,187	1,189	0.49
Under lease and licence—						
Pastoral lease	117,306	117,417	116,876	121,946	123,211	50.65
Perpetual lease	19,770	19,874	20,037	20,271	20,324	8.35
Other	2,839	3,458	3,538	3,385	3,321	1.37
Total occupied	155,657	156,614	156,423	161,693	163,027	67.02
Total unoccupied	87,588	86,631	86,822	81,552	80,218	32.98
Total State Area	243,245	243,245	243,245	243,245	243,245	100.00

No. 35—Water Supply

(Under control of Engineering and Water Supply Department)

Particulars	Unit	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
Water consumption (total)—							
Adelaide and near (a)	m. gal.	17,472	19,538	21,022	22,384	23,110	21,982
Remainder of State	m. gal.	n.a.	8,020	8,743	8,634	9,121	9,318
Pumped from River Murray—							
Mannum-Adelaide pipeline	m. gal.	1,006	3,919	14,020	5,240	14,975	3,466
Morgan-Whyalla pipeline	m. gal.	1,553	1,585	2,807	2,342	2,918	1,936
Reservoir capacity (end of year)—							
Adelaide Water District	m. gal.	14,469	14,469	14,469	14,469	14,469	14,500
Country Water Districts	m. gal.	9,545	9,546	(b)19,480	(b)19,485	(b)19,487	(b)20,905
Length of mains	mile	7,777	7,916	8,260	8,537	9,016	9,293
Meters	number	150,317	166,350	180,850	197,914	213,024	232,072
Assessments	number	243,809	250,306	272,894	269,825	289,235	319,108
Annual value of assessments	£'000	20,828	22,687	26,811	28,361	31,618	40,593
Revenue from rates and excess water—							
Adelaide Water District	£'000	1,349	1,481	2,036	2,081	2,293	2,936
Country Water Districts	£'000	663	754	919	920	996	1,533

(a) Covers an area somewhat larger than the present Metropolitan Area.

(b) Includes South Para Reservoir.

n.a.—Not available.

No. 36—Area under Irrigation : South Australia

Particulars	River Murray Irrigation Areas (a)				State Total			
	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
	Acres							
Vines—								
Drying and Table	12,053	12,108	11,719	9,422	25,443	25,389	26,014	26,071
Wine	11,530	11,234	11,848	13,891				
Orchards	14,740	15,763	16,525	16,966	19,879	20,795	22,315	22,706
Vegetables	2,419	1,771	1,694	1,869	11,673	10,675	10,149	10,643
Green forage	244	180	314	316	3,542	3,070	5,076	4,132
Other crops	317	474	561	645	2,558	3,904	8,268	8,176
Pasture	6,710	5,665	7,289	7,417	18,059	21,247	29,077	30,295
Total	48,013	47,195	49,950	50,546	81,154	85,080	100,899	102,023

(a) Excludes irrigated culture on the River Murray not in recognized irrigation areas.

No. 37—Utilization of Rural Holdings

Area of Holdings	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
	Acres					
Crops—						
Cereals (for grain)...	3,113,279	3,129,089	3,009,385	3,278,114	3,382,348	4,083,303
Hay and green orage ...	664,834	665,909	715,434	684,414	505,920	705,475
Orchards ...	32,998	33,998	35,295	37,237	37,355	37,711
Vineyards...	59,862	57,409	57,439	56,749	56,853	56,897
Vegetables ...	16,968	18,785	17,909	17,723	16,273	17,309
Other ...	83,672	73,723	71,074	73,311	59,845	65,410
Total Crops ...	3,971,613	3,978,913	3,906,536	4,147,548	4,058,594	4,966,105
Pasture grasses—						
Lucerne ...	248,602	294,405	326,847	288,553	341,053	432,418
Clover and other ...	2,599,652	3,958,426	4,022,322	3,909,530	3,275,207	4,165,859
Fallow ...	1,075,839	909,121	752,622	954,072	725,713	1,044,614
Balance of Holdings ...	142,069,755	140,790,603	143,036,733	143,012,212	147,036,331	145,846,541
Total Area ...	149,965,461	149,931,468	152,045,060	152,311,915	155,436,898	156,455,537

No. 38—Rural Production: Statistical Divisions

(Year ended 31st March 1961)

Particulars	Statistical Division							Whole State
	Central	Lower North	Upper North	South-Eastern	Western	Murray Mallee	Outside of Counties	
CROP AREAS ('000 Acres)								
Wheat for grain	310.0	501.9	130.1	37.9	680.0	309.4	0.1	1,969.4
Barley for grain	465.8	291.4	32.2	50.8	322.1	393.3	0.1	1,555.7
Oats for grain	84.2	104.8	19.9	45.1	189.5	68.6	0.1	512.2
Hay and green forage	193.8	133.2	26.6	92.4	172.1	87.4	—	705.5
Orchards	16.2	0.5	0.2	2.4	0.1	18.3	—	37.7
Vineyards	29.5	2.5	—	0.4	—	24.5	—	56.9
Vegetables	9.9	0.5	2.7	1.0	—	3.2	—	17.3
Other crops	21.3	20.3	4.2	19.9	2.0	43.7	—	111.4
Total crops	1,130.7	1,055.1	215.9	249.9	1,365.8	948.4	0.3	4,966.1
CEREAL YIELDS ('000 Bushels)								
Wheat	7,853.8	14,469.8	3,464.2	927.4	14,804.4	4,874.5	1.5	46,395.6
Barley	14,216.2	9,620.6	859.3	880.5	8,540.6	8,114.4	1.5	42,233.1
Oats	2,083.8	3,014.3	530.1	1,073.6	3,828.2	945.0	2.6	11,477.6
LIVESTOCK NUMBERS ('000)								
Sheep (1 year and over)	2,699.0	1,566.3	839.4	3,216.5	1,832.2	1,123.4	851.0	12,127.8
Lambs	598.6	361.0	215.0	715.6	465.5	269.2	199.5	2,824.4
Dairy cattle	129.1	19.1	6.8	60.5	10.7	21.0	0.3	247.5
Beef cattle	40.0	15.8	9.3	129.3	5.0	8.2	105.6	313.2
Pigs	55.3	30.7	4.9	11.6	18.8	22.2	0.1	143.6
Poultry	1,154.0	255.2	70.1	96.9	129.3	259.2	1.0	1,965.7
WOOL-CLIP ('000 lb.)								
Sheep	30,525.9	17,954.5	10,645.7	38,517.9	22,280.2	13,431.0	12,249.8	145,605.0
Lambs	2,035.6	1,193.2	703.1	2,628.1	1,322.4	887.7	995.4	9,775.5
Total (inc. crutchings)	34,157.2	20,084.1	11,904.8	43,011.0	24,772.9	15,071.8	13,874.2	162,876.0
AREA FERTILIZED AND IRRIGATED ('000 Acres)								
Crops fertilized	959.8	942.9	182.8	170.6	1,226.1	843.8	0.1	4,326.1
Pasture top-dressed	840.4	125.0	9.6	1,913.3	205.3	205.2	—	3,299.8
Total under irrigation	32.5	0.9	1.0	12.6	0.3	54.7	—	102.0
FARM MACHINERY (Number)								
Tractors... ..	10,900	4,158	1,306	4,325	4,427	5,416	142	30,674
Shearing machines (stands)	7,063	4,609	2,008	5,080	4,092	2,839	877	26,568
Milking machines (units)	9,491	1,902	467	4,379	656	1,337	3	18,235

No. 39—Rural Employment

Particulars	March 1959			March 1960			March 1961		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
Permanent Workers—									
Owners, lessees, etc. ...	23,329	2,192	25,521	23,022	1,473	24,495	23,403	1,223	24,626
Relatives (not paid wages)	3,270	848	4,118	2,690	519	3,209	2,626	522	3,148
Wage-earners ...	8,369	585	8,954	8,059	592	8,651	7,926	551	8,477
Total permanent workers ...	34,968	3,625	38,593	33,771	2,584	36,355	33,955	2,296	36,251
Temporary workers ...	17,455	4,649	22,104	17,308	4,638	21,946	17,116	4,626	21,742
Salaries and Wages Paid	£'000								
To permanent workers	5,712	224	5,936	5,629	236	5,865	5,730	235	5,965
To temporary workers	4,978	335	5,313	4,870	349	5,219	4,206	366	4,572

No. 40—Cereals

Crop	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
AREA ('000 Acres)						
All purposes—						
Wheat ...	1,678.3	1,480.7	1,411.4	1,459.9	1,605.4	2,027.0
Barley ...	1,067.7	1,248.6	1,271.4	1,367.1	1,325.7	1,588.4
Oats ...	841.9	843.5	874.9	845.1	813.4	907.3
For grain—						
Wheat ...	1,609.0	1,438.3	1,331.3	1,407.4	1,549.5	1,969.4
Barley ...	1,041.8	1,221.7	1,211.8	1,332.5	1,289.9	1,555.7
Oats ...	425.0	427.2	427.4	481.1	505.5	512.2
Rye ...	37.5	41.9	38.9	57.1	37.4	46.0
Total for grain ...	3,113.3	3,129.1	3,009.4	3,278.1	3,382.3	4,083.3
YIELD ('000 Bushels)						
Wheat ...	28,891.5	31,431.5	14,914.0	32,032.2	11,929.0	46,395.6
Barley ...	24,598.0	34,002.9	17,551.7	37,664.5	11,857.2	42,233.1
Oats ...	7,280.3	8,314.3	3,422.5	11,992.2	2,504.5	11,477.6
YIELD PER ACRE (Bushels)						
Wheat ...	17.96	21.85	11.20	22.76	7.70	23.56
Barley ...	23.61	27.83	14.48	28.27	9.19	27.15
Oats ...	17.13	19.47	8.01	24.93	4.95	22.41

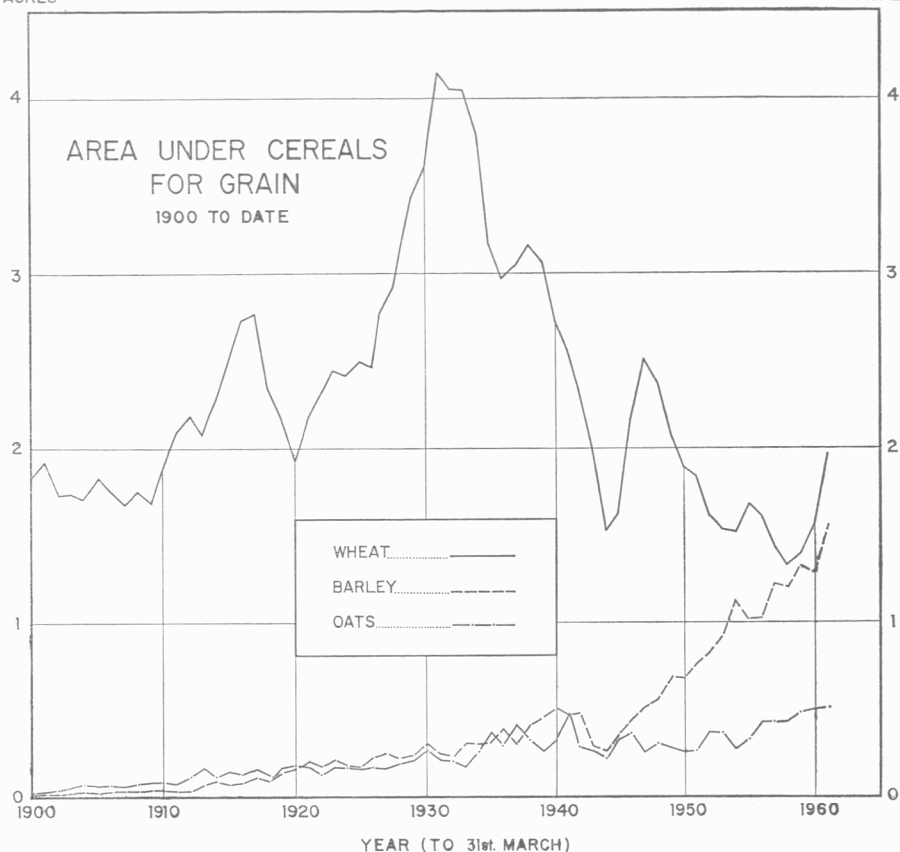
No. 41—Hay and Green Forage

Particulars	Area				Yield			
	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
Acres								
Hay—								
Wheat ...	71,517	50,283	52,076	51,649	72,092	85,343	43,082	88,058
Barley ...	25,809	15,284	17,067	14,115	20,721	21,397	11,948	20,585
Oats ...	100,545	162,762	118,149	152,750	89,793	273,279	74,710	243,188
Lucerne ...	20,387	31,877	21,174	35,690	21,891	53,043	33,773	61,655
Clover and other...	72,668	159,360	36,833	138,429	99,597	238,465	42,900	202,769
Total Hay ...	290,926	419,566	245,299	392,633	304,094	671,527	206,413	616,255
Green forage ...	424,508	264,848	260,621	312,842	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)

(a) Not applicable.

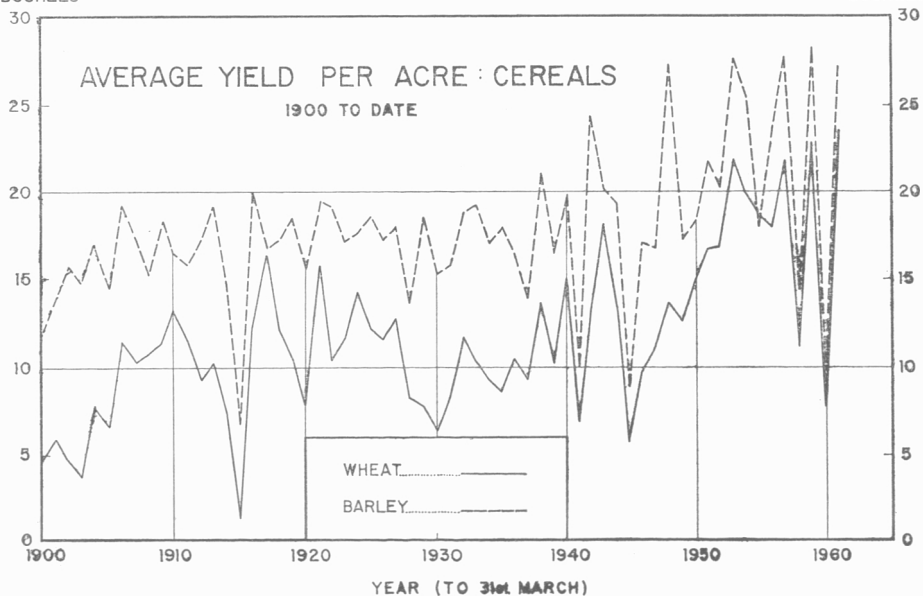
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No. 42—Orchard and Vine Fruit Production

Particulars	Unit	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
Orchard fruit—						
Oranges	bush.	454,750	1,759,529	1,720,152	1,646,559	1,574,894
Other citrus	bush.	122,978	138,140	141,601	126,132	147,954
Apples	bush.	1,008,226	1,219,910	1,021,938	1,266,467	1,253,706
Apricots	bush.	775,532	505,819	714,257	698,116	755,560
Peaches	bush.	453,281	689,921	655,222	688,803	573,086
Pears... ..	bush.	294,912	402,147	294,679	430,501	337,332
Vine fruit—						
Grapes for wine	ton	128,526	141,559	134,578	114,064	137,694
Grapes for drying	ton	47,800	56,455	58,989	42,126	39,529
Grapes for table	ton	1,080	1,018	784	1,085	1,067
Dried fruit (a)—						
Apricots	cwt	23,000	13,900	39,580	39,000	38,280
Peaches	cwt	3,060	11,620	20,740	14,900	2,580
Pears... ..	cwt	600	3,040	2,860	5,240	860
Currants	cwt	78,820	96,480	90,620	56,880	90,860
Sultanas and raisins ...	cwt	194,320	226,120	246,460	183,840	135,020
Wine—						
Beverage	gal.	11,021,083	11,262,693	10,779,742	10,138,653	10,460,347
Net total (b)	gal.	24,038,050	26,399,633	25,131,598	21,575,858	25,060,769

(a) Quantity of fresh fruit included above.

(b) Includes distillation wine (for manufacture of brandy, spirits for wine fortifying, etc.).

No. 43—Artificial Fertilizers

Particulars	Area Fertilized				Fertilizer Used			
	1957	1958	1959	1960	1957	1958	1959	1960
Crops—								
	Acres				Tons			
Wheat (all purposes) ...	1,377,310	1,412,662	1,557,697	1,922,641	65,281	67,012	73,224	84,952
Orchards and vines ...	52,753	55,324	51,984	48,328	9,504	10,569	9,823	9,090
Vegetables... ..	13,842	14,459	12,519	13,199	6,724	6,576	6,434	6,250
Other... ..	2,018,616	2,209,942	2,056,446	2,341,934	100,739	108,011	99,252	109,095
Total crops	3,462,521	3,692,387	3,678,646	4,326,102	182,248	192,168	188,733	209,387
Pasture top-dressed ...	4,005,002	3,715,561	3,471,328	3,299,766	236,291	218,728	202,895	189,704
Total ...	7,467,523	7,407,948	7,149,974	7,625,868	418,539	410,896	391,628	399,091

No. 44—Farm Machinery

Particulars	Number at 31st March					
	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Tractors—						
Wheeled	21,155	22,826	24,100	25,342	25,774	27,269
Crawler	3,190	3,186	3,188	3,190	3,191	3,405
Rotary hoes	3,242	3,414	3,507	4,015	4,106	4,620
Headers, strippers, and harvesters	13,081	13,030	13,024	13,053	13,006	12,799
Shearing machines (stands)	22,355	23,373	24,697	25,586	26,049	26,568
Milking machines (units)	16,090	16,740	17,206	17,777	17,920	18,235

No. 45—Dairy Produce

Period		Milk	Butter (a)	Cheese (b)	Bacon and Ham (c)
		'000 gal.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.
Year—					
1955-56	...	90,300	19,541	28,297	7,677
1956-57	...	89,900	19,260	26,787	7,295
1957-58	...	80,600	16,061	23,510	6,997
1958-59	...	82,100	16,103	25,166	6,875
1959-60	...	78,500	14,151	24,622	6,979
1960-61	...	87,000	15,610	28,345	7,035
Quarter—					
Dec. 1960	...	n.a.	5,185	11,423	2,084
Mar. 1961	...	n.a.	2,615	3,766	1,371
June	...	n.a.	2,958	4,545	1,622
Sept.	...	n.a.	5,329	r 11,192	1,654 p
Dec.	...	n.a.	5,397	r 12,129	2,012 p
Mar. 1962	...	n.a.	2,978	4,820	1,399 p

(a) Quarterly figures exclude butter made on farms.

(b) Quarterly figures exclude a small quantity of fancy cheese collected only on a yearly basis.

(c) Quarterly figures exclude bacon and ham cured on farms and in slaughtering establishments.

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n.a.—Not available.

No. 46—Slaughtering

Period		Sheep	Lambs	Cows and Bullocks	Calves	Pigs
Year—						
1955-56	...	1,254,172	1,103,396	153,485	73,897	132,229
1956-57	...	1,254,183	1,074,890	170,536	81,429	123,700
1957-58	...	1,894,120	1,383,696	183,972	98,545	175,303
1958-59	...	1,759,812	1,385,091	196,352	90,931	179,297
1959-60	...	2,236,283	1,662,942	150,258	88,179	171,257
1960-61	...	1,573,343	1,211,052	114,406	59,706	183,052
Quarter—						
Dec. 1960	...	391,761	465,470	29,053	15,072	49,344
Mar. 1961	...	395,629	228,305	29,327	13,460	39,168
June	...	387,770	215,490	27,535	13,824	46,800
Sept.	...	p 366,573	391,235	28,872	17,324	51,750
Dec.	...	p 453,250	463,827	33,606	16,636	59,240
Mar. 1962	...	p 431,216	285,413	34,409	15,021	52,010

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No. 47—Meat Production (a)

Period		Mutton	Lamb	Beef	Veal	Pigmeat	Total Meat
		Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
Year—							
1955-56	...	27,303	17,036	34,785	2,727	8,124	89,975
1956-57	...	26,526	16,037	36,910	3,352	7,367	90,192
1957-58	...	35,306	18,375	37,128	3,942	9,516	104,267
1958-59	...	34,668	20,333	38,623	3,544	9,302	106,470
1959-60	...	42,114	20,646	29,997	3,284	9,161	105,202
1960-61	...	33,680	18,562	24,447	2,200	9,574	88,463
Quarter—							
Dec. 1960	...	8,478	7,357	6,305	580	2,512	25,232
Mar. 1961	...	8,433	3,431	6,159	530	2,070	20,623
June	...	8,314	3,191	5,836	483	2,484	20,308
Sept.	...	p 7,832	5,810	6,215	619	2,700	23,176
Dec.	...	p 9,257	6,915	7,092	664	2,884	26,812
Mar. 1962	...	p 8,846	4,133	7,053	610	2,584	23,226

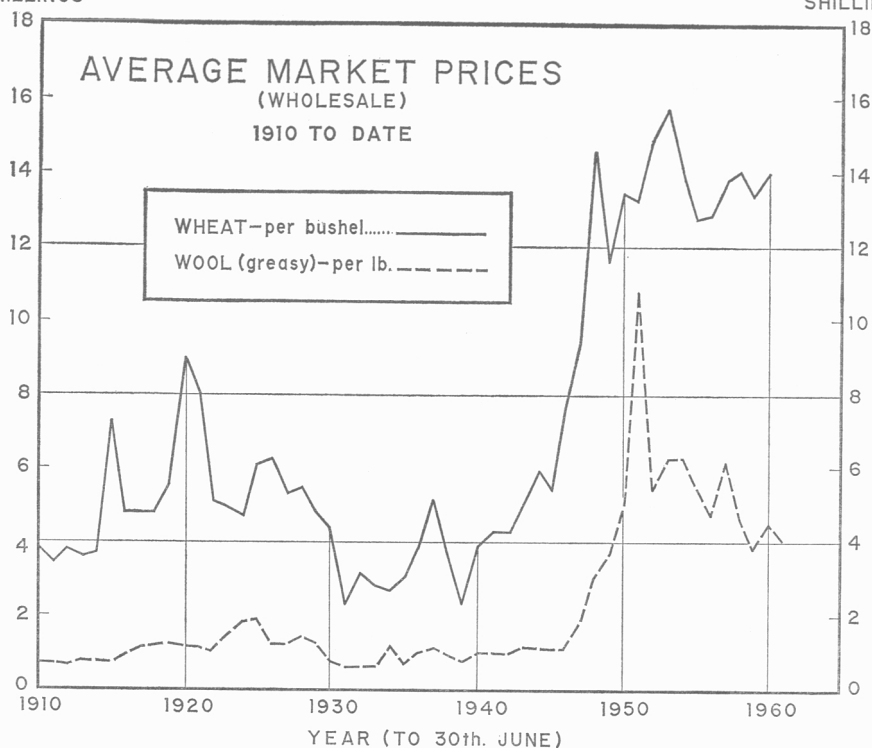
(a) Bone-in weight.

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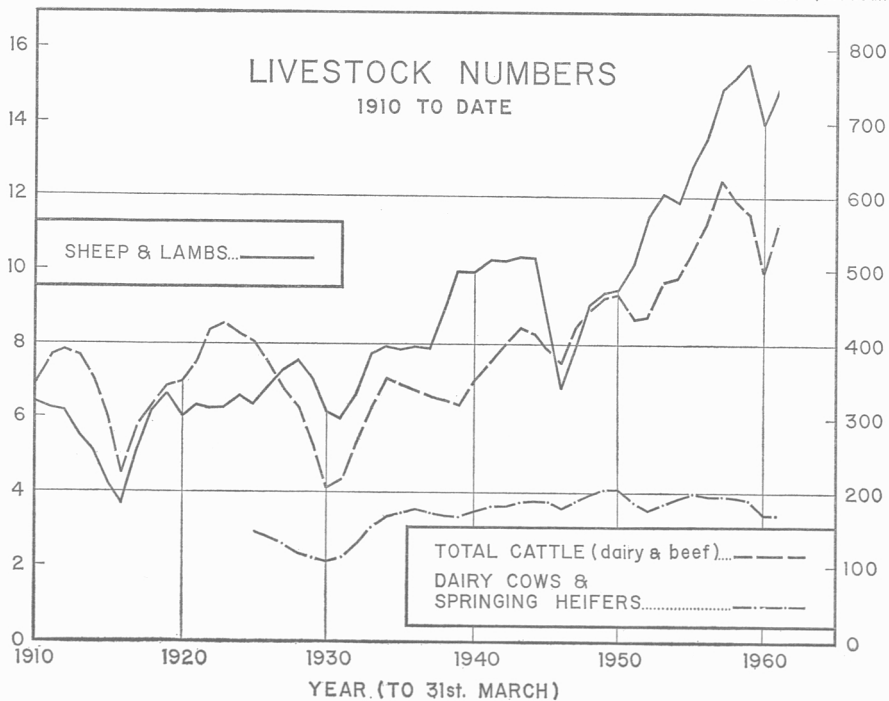
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AVERAGE MARKET PRICES (WHOLESALE) 1910 TO DATE

NO. OF SHEEP
(millions)

NO. OF CATTLE & COWS (thousands)

LIVESTOCK NUMBERS 1910 TO DATE



No. 48—Livestock

Livestock.	Number at 31st March					
	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Sheep—						
Rams	169,841	184,357	188,661	197,598	187,519	187,142
Breeding ewes	6,324,510	6,976,201	6,578,731	7,284,374	6,489,091	7,396,462
Lambs	2,906,277	3,457,221	3,436,853	3,061,680	2,876,853	2,824,432
Other	4,184,239	4,366,069	5,032,300	5,090,674	4,471,218	4,544,204
Total	13,584,867	14,983,848	15,236,545	15,634,326	14,024,681	14,952,240
Cattle—						
Dairy cows (a)	195,039	194,502	191,205	187,858	169,510	170,135
Other dairy	69,264	70,982	67,593	60,567	70,093	77,421
Beef	301,752	356,093	338,443	327,643	260,052	313,183
Total	566,055	621,577	597,241	576,068	499,655	560,739
Pigs	72,920	92,180	108,343	98,374	108,696	143,645
Poultry	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	1,321,730	1,856,560	1,965,739

(a) Cows, in milk and dry, and springing heifers.
n.a.—Not available.

No. 49—Sheep Shearing and Wool Production

Particulars	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
Number shorn ('000)—						
Sheep	11,570.7	12,255.2	13,445.9	13,481.5	13,702.0	12,629.0
Lambs	2,913.5	3,461.9	3,638.7	3,039.9	3,407.8	2,752.6
Wool production ('000 lb.)—						
Wool-clip—						
Sheep	138,770.8	152,229.3	147,965.7	151,418.3	160,212.5	145,605.0
Lambs	11,422.2	14,237.8	12,252.5	10,685.5	11,562.3	9,775.5
Crutchings	7,989.1	8,806.5	7,975.8	8,540.9	8,461.2	7,495.5
Total clip	158,182.1	175,273.6	168,194.0	170,644.7	180,236.0	162,876.0
Fellmongered and dead wool	5,531.4	2,944.5	1,827.2	1,352.6	733.1	713.6
Exported on skins	9,983.7	10,590.1	15,821.4	14,844.4	17,319.7	13,823.7
Total production	173,697.2	188,808.2	185,842.6	186,841.7	198,288.8	177,413.3

No. 50—Wool Sales: Adelaide

Period	Wool Sold (a)		Amount Realized	Average Price per lb. Greasy	In Store End of Period
	Bales	'000 lb.	£'000	Pence	Bales
Year—					
1950-51	383,630	117,032.3	62,978.2	129.16	6,304
1955-56	512,927	161,293.0	37,897.9	56.38	6,615
1956-57	568,242	175,951.0	54,125.7	73.82	8,622
1957-58	512,236	157,298.3	36,776.7	56.11	10,517
1958-59	546,768	172,316.3	32,771.1	45.62	7,952
1959-60	502,820	155,677.1	34,913.5	53.82	38,997
1960-61	495,021	158,559.6	31,821.8	48.17	55,607
Quarter—					
Dec. 1960	137,495	44,141.6	8,440.3	45.89	126,218
Mar. 1961	133,100	41,868.0	8,796.5	50.42	77,666
June	97,588	31,876.3	6,894.1	51.91	55,607
Sept.	152,873	49,351.2	10,310.7	50.14	97,558
Dec.	180,691	57,040.9	11,688.3	49.18	122,879
Mar. 1962	142,272	44,707.8	9,566.2	51.35	70,486

Note: Intervals between sales vary during each year, and therefore quantity sold in a period may be affected by the number of sales held during that period.

(a) Includes greasy and scoured wool.

No. 51—Lambing

Particulars	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961 Intended (a)
Ewes mated	6,142,419	6,567,967	6,009,618	6,746,422	5,797,411	7,270,683
Lambs marked	4,909,922	5,056,130	4,571,681	5,245,213	4,191,801	(b)
Lambing percentage	79.93	76.98	76.07	77.75	72.30	(b)

(a) As advised by farmers in their annual returns for 1960-61.

(b) Not applicable.

No. 52—Mining

(Excluding Uranium)

Particulars	Unit	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Employees	no.	2,816	2,717	2,446	1,781	1,742	
Wages and salaries paid ...	£	2,224,805	2,155,079	2,076,090	2,118,847	2,238,674	
Value of production—							
Metallic minerals ... r	£	17,056,136	16,167,430	16,031,333	15,802,213	15,913,133	18,387,404
Non-metallic minerals r	£	2,801,076	3,129,594	3,398,680	3,851,380	4,234,678	4,691,491
Construction materials	£	4,069,336	3,879,035	4,107,869	5,012,605	5,287,115	6,041,899
Total value of production	£	23,926,548	23,176,059	23,537,882	24,666,198	25,434,926	29,120,794
Principal minerals produced—							
Iron ore	ton	3,587,095	3,389,237	3,352,596	3,423,209	3,436,601	3,991,343
Coal	ton	481,463	608,913	755,022	690,374	884,819	1,115,156
Pyrite concentrate ...	ton	65,097	68,169	66,935	57,534	66,077	69,493
Salt	ton	331,965	339,396	336,241	357,802	359,027	387,433
Quarter							
		Sept. 1960	Dec. 1960	Mar. 1961	June 1961	Sept. 1961	Dec. 1961
Principal minerals produced—							
Iron ore	ton	836,109	874,308	952,679	1,016,361	982,989	1,039,314
Coal	ton	248,683	244,198	260,398	252,174	294,416	308,168
Pyrite concentrate ...	ton	15,808	15,418	15,779	19,781	18,855	15,078
Salt	ton	(a)	(a)178,574	(a)	(a)196,016	(a)	191,417

Note: Production details as recorded by the Director of Mines.

(a) Totals for 6 months to June or December.

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No. 53—Forestry

Particulars	Unit	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
STATE FORESTS							
Proclaimed reserves	acre	267,164	267,609	267,799	267,858	r 268,667	271,108
Net area planted (a)	acre	2,477	2,517	3,797	3,370	3,674	4,793
Net area of plantations (b)...	acre	104,997	106,859	108,929	110,293	113,169	116,765
PRIVATE FORESTS							
Net area planted (a)	acre	705	1,547	1,547	1,151	926	2,848
Net area of plantations (b)...	acre	n.a.	n.a.	35,601	36,676	36,969	33,173
PRODUCTION OF LOGS (c)							
Softwoods	'000 sup. ft	216,751	208,595	184,839	267,880	298,305	265,408
Hardwoods	'000 sup. ft	8,331	8,206	7,030	6,466	4,797	7,192

(a) During year ended 31st December of year first stated.

(b) At 30th June.

(c) For production of sawn timber, see page 38, Table 59.

n.a.—Not available.

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No. 54—Value of Production: Gross and Net

Class of Production	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61 ^p
GROSS VALUE (a) (£'000)						
Agricultural	55,285	64,997	45,044	70,429	35,546	78,910
Pastoral	50,441	69,059	55,514	49,568	61,676	47,226
Dairying	15,413	14,502	13,192	16,051	14,727	15,046
Other rural	4,203	4,125	3,919	3,955	3,927	3,946
Mining and quarrying	21,394	24,500	23,864	24,284	25,607	26,514
Forestry	4,736	4,172	3,711	4,227	4,033	3,756
Other	1,682	2,199	1,797	1,757	1,639	2,033
Total Primary	153,154	183,554	147,041	170,271	147,155	177,431
NET VALUE (b) (£'000)						
Agricultural	41,271	49,688	32,317	50,570	24,246	56,588
Pastoral	44,625	62,093	44,863	38,425	50,067	36,118
Dairying	13,274	12,511	7,825	9,362	9,140	8,355
Other rural	2,045	1,985	1,747	1,990	1,772	1,516
Mining and quarrying	18,651	21,504	20,625	21,229	22,155	22,887
Forestry	4,596	4,051	3,587	4,103	3,929	3,729
Other	1,479	1,932	1,557	1,524	1,418	1,777
Total Primary	125,941	153,764	112,521	127,203	112,727	130,970
Secondary	120,936	125,766	133,285	139,810	162,974	170,062
Total Production	246,877	280,530	245,806	267,013	275,701	301,032

(a) Value placed on recorded production at wholesale prices realized in principal markets.

(b) Gross value less marketing and production costs. No deductions have been made for depreciation or certain maintenance charges.

^p—Preliminary.

No. 55—Gross Value of Crops

Crop	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61 ^p
£'000						
Cereals—						
Wheat	19,257.1	22,422.9	10,484.8	21,895.7	8,247.6	32,192.1
Barley	12,613.3	17,011.1	9,786.4	19,944.5	5,499.6	18,988.5
Oats	2,060.4	2,326.0	1,684.7	3,496.7	1,061.1	2,808.9
Rye	92.6	135.1	121.5	194.1	74.3	106.9
Grass seeds	935.2	677.6	777.2	658.0	551.0	558.7
Hay	3,471.9	3,670.8	3,990.5	5,791.9	3,402.9	4,622.6
Green fodder	864.9	1,066.9	1,430.9	903.8	868.8	907.2
Field peas	469.9	643.7	207.3	453.4	86.3	369.9
Orchard and berry fruit—						
Citrus	1,927.3	2,035.6	2,698.0	2,718.9	2,092.5	2,578.5
Apples	1,624.1	1,650.8	1,707.2	1,511.7	1,496.2	1,711.1
Apricots	1,026.0	1,388.1	767.6	972.2	880.4	967.1
Peaches	674.6	1,021.5	612.8	609.2	657.6	718.2
Other	1,230.0	1,263.8	1,299.2	1,129.9	1,278.8	1,290.6
Vine fruit—						
Wine grapes	1,852.2	2,513.8	3,030.5	2,712.5	2,643.9	3,357.6
Table grapes	73.5	80.3	61.8	71.7	83.5	92.1
Currants, raisins, etc.	1,759.9	1,678.6	2,040.0	2,265.6	1,564.0	1,547.5
Vegetables—						
Potatoes	1,593.5	1,879.1	938.8	1,200.7	1,008.5	1,595.8
Green peas	797.5	809.8	645.2	501.4	399.9	507.7
Other	2,871.6	2,561.1	2,592.1	3,315.4	3,273.0	3,561.9
Other crops	89.5	160.3	167.8	81.6	376.3	427.3
Total	55,285.0	64,996.9	45,044.3	70,428.9	35,546.2	78,910.2

^p—Preliminary.

No. 56—Factories: Summary

Particulars	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
Establishments	3,908	4,063	4,168	4,235	4,684	5,042
Employees (a)—						
Males	76,144	75,543	75,909	77,427	81,312	81,898
Females	16,445	16,438	16,563	16,738	17,706	18,057
Salaries and wages (£'000) (b)—						
Males	68,213.5	69,644.7	71,152.4	74,268.0	85,333.1	88,622.3
Females	8,023.9	8,173.7	8,691.9	8,876.8	9,904.6	10,360.3
Values (£'000)—						
Land and buildings	48,353.2	55,343.5	61,083.8	66,278.4	77,632.1	87,728.6
Plant and machinery	63,596.7	71,846.5	79,336.0	84,748.9	98,240.5	113,100.2
Materials, fuel, etc. used	196,025.5	198,338.6	198,813.2	202,947.6	222,728.8	231,565.8
Output	316,961.4	325,104.8	332,098.3	342,757.4	385,702.4	r 401,627.5
Production	120,935.9	126,766.2	133,285.1	139,809.8	162,973.6	r 170,061.7

(a) Includes working proprietors.

(b) Excludes drawings by working proprietors.

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No. 57—Factories: Value of Production

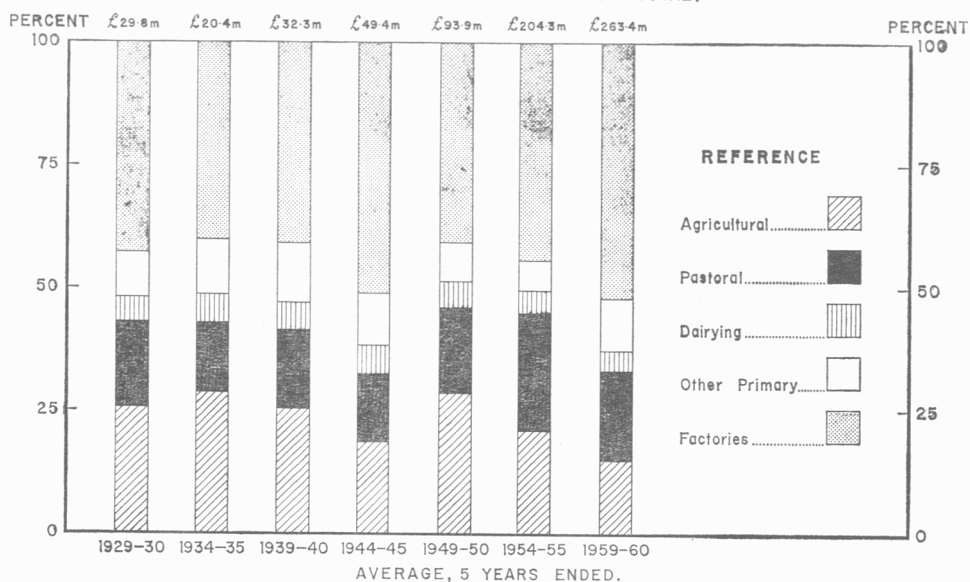
Industrial Class	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
	£'000					
1. Treatment of non-metal mine products	3,784.9	3,937.1	4,076.3	4,710.9	5,057.1	5,847.9
2. Bricks, pottery, glass, etc.	3,125.8	3,309.1	3,316.0	3,857.6	4,437.1	4,577.5
3. Chemicals, dyes, paints, etc.	7,223.9	7,967.3	8,649.6	8,771.1	8,957.4	8,992.2
4. Metals, machines, and conveyances	64,082.0	65,630.1	68,604.4	71,523.5	87,944.9	92,013.6
5. Precious metals, jewellery	520.8	501.7	508.4	522.1	618.9	636.4
6. Textiles etc. (not dress)	2,951.5	3,246.6	3,617.6	3,682.0	3,755.5	3,861.1
7. Skins and leather	1,616.8	1,611.2	1,434.7	1,733.5	1,619.2	1,419.6
8. Clothing (except knitted)	4,529.8	4,365.2	4,584.2	4,744.4	5,066.4	5,289.9
9. Food, drink, and tobacco	13,239.4	15,100.4	15,588.0	16,013.1	17,921.3	18,080.7
10. Sawmills, joinery, etc.	6,074.0	6,373.4	6,529.3	7,056.7	7,977.1	7,719.8
11. Furniture of wood, bedding, etc.	2,241.0	2,389.5	2,475.3	2,507.7	2,884.2	3,029.5
12. Paper, stationery, etc.	5,790.6	6,000.2	6,624.2	6,925.2	7,860.7	8,632.5
13. Rubber	1,538.8	1,692.6	1,996.3	2,156.7	2,546.5	2,741.4
14. Musical instruments	31.1	34.5	40.0	33.4	38.1	36.8
15. Miscellaneous products	997.4	1,052.7	1,159.3	1,258.6	1,374.0	1,369.7
16. Heat, light, and power	3,190.1	3,554.6	4,081.5	4,313.3	4,915.2	r 5,813.2
Total	120,935.9	126,766.2	133,285.1	139,809.8	162,973.6	r 170,061.7

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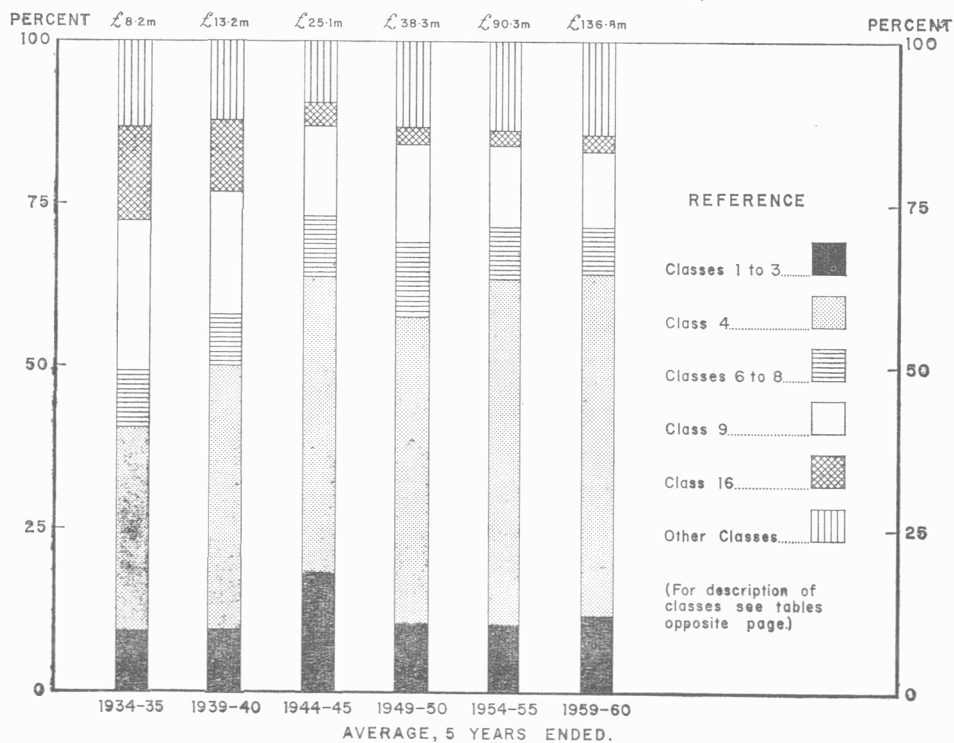
No. 58—Factories: Classified by Persons Employed, 1960-61

Industrial Class	Average Number of Persons Employed							Total
	Under 5	5-10	11-20	21-50	51-100	101-500	Over 500	
	NUMBER OF ESTABLISHMENTS							
1. Treatment of non-metal mine products	90	46	23	14	4	5	—	182
2. Bricks, pottery, glass, etc.	16	16	17	16	8	3	—	76
3. Chemicals, dyes, paints, etc.	32	25	8	11	5	7	1	89
4. Metals, machines, and conveyances	1,287	561	233	144	62	55	16	2,358
5. Precious metals, jewellery	83	12	4	5	—	—	—	104
6. Textiles etc. (not dress)	19	17	5	7	4	3	1	56
7. Skins and leather	16	8	6	3	4	1	1	39
8. Clothing (except knitted)	282	89	64	35	15	6	—	491
9. Food, drink, and tobacco	290	192	114	82	26	19	—	723
10. Sawmills, joinery, etc.	158	101	45	41	9	7	—	361
11. Furniture of wood, bedding, etc.	118	39	16	27	8	—	—	208
12. Paper, stationery, etc.	42	52	37	26	9	8	1	175
13. Rubber	40	16	5	2	—	1	1	65
14. Musical instruments	8	2	—	—	—	—	—	10
15. Miscellaneous products	39	13	8	4	4	1	—	69
16. Heat, light, and power	23	5	2	2	1	2	1	36
Total	2,543	1,194	587	419	159	118	22	5,042

NET VALUE OF PRODUCTION (PROPORTION OF COMPONENTS TO TOTAL)



NET VALUE OF FACTORY PRODUCTION (PROPORTION OF MAJOR CLASSES TO TOTAL)



No. 59—Articles Produced in Factories

The following table gives details of production of a number of articles in South Australian factories.

Because of the necessity of concealing details for individual producers (the Census and Statistics Act requires all such information to be treated as strictly confidential) details concerning a number of major items—e.g. motor vehicles—have been withheld from publication.

Period	Building Materials						Electricity	Caravans
	Clay Bricks (a)	Cement Roofing Tiles	Sawn Timber (b)	Paints (Other than Water) and Enamels	Water Paints (Emulsion Type)	Fibrous Plaster Sheets		
Year—	'000	'000	'000 sup. ft.	'000 gal.	'000 gal.	'000 sq. yds.	'000 kWh.	No.
1956-57	77,497	8,245	93,270	n.a.	n.a.	1,941	1,315,220	797
1957-58	84,716	7,799	82,909	1,277	305	972	1,580,838	841
1958-59	91,160	8,121	120,687	1,197	198	1,018	1,583,162	1,094
1959-60	105,387	10,576	126,590	1,108	175	1,131	1,863,860	1,211
1960-61	103,232	9,573	p 98,660	1,226	193	1,007	1,897,755	1,329
Quarter—								
Dec. 1960	28,082	2,928	p 24,749	369	59	236	448,615	613
Mar. 1961	24,441	1,896	p 20,717	281	48	242	460,317	164
June	23,176	1,998	p 25,654	245	40	250	486,142	140
Sept.	p 24,732	n.a.	26,055	269	58	289	538,012	191
Dec.	p 24,215	n.a.	25,714	322	80	239	550,322	295
Mar. 1962	p 24,231	n.a.	26,141	300	61	255	562,209	168

(a) Includes both standard and non-standard types.

(b) From logs (Australian only) milled during the month.

Period	Domestic Appliances and Furniture					Clothing		
	Storage Hot Water Systems (Electric)	Washing Machines (Electric)	Bath Heaters (all Kinds)	Inner Spring Mat-tresses	Woven Wire and Spring Mat-tresses (c)	Suit Coats (Men's and Youths') (d)	Sports Trousers (Men's and Youths') (e)	Footwear (f)
Year—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Pairs	Pairs
1956-57	4,544	52,177	11,412	43,212	38,228	n.a.	n.a.	1,600,213
1957-58	5,134	62,180	10,824	49,525	36,891	25,830	78,517	1,671,104
1958-59	6,224	76,227	10,147	49,703	35,637	26,603	56,562	1,601,619
1959-60	7,799	82,350	8,912	56,070	40,463	32,031	62,974	1,635,715
1960-61	8,161	72,238	8,170	55,350	34,280	33,634	98,600	1,700,801
Quarter—								
Dec. 1960	2,030	17,791	1,887	14,775	9,849	9,061	28,540	421,364
Mar. 1961	1,729	14,336	1,566	11,846	7,267	6,687	27,111	363,393
June	1,915	16,912	1,881	13,151	7,994	7,566	25,008	455,144
Sept.	p 2,199	19,289	2,467	r 13,702	7,719	9,815	33,271	439,795
Dec.	p 1,927	19,852	1,741	r 14,488	9,175	8,648	37,691	387,929
Mar. 1962	p 2,161	16,926	1,844	14,332	8,738	7,903	26,160	366,839

(c) Includes link mesh and box spring mattresses and wire stretchers.

(d) Prior to July, 1960, excludes coats for 3 piece suits. Subject to revision.

(e) Includes slacks and long school trousers, but excludes jeans. Subject to revision.

(f) Excludes infants' soft-soled nursery footwear.

Period	Foodstuffs					Scoured and Carbonised Wool	Super-phosphate
	White Flour	Confectionery	Margarine	Preserved Fruit	Aerated Waters		
Year—	Tons	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 lb.	'000 gal.	'000 lb.	Tons
1956-57	163,444	n.a.	2,857	42,967	6,558	17,674	420,421
1957-58	137,781	n.a.	3,084	37,405	7,349	16,849	410,372
1958-59	136,654	5,386	3,277	23,778	8,090	n.a.	400,161
1959-60	143,695	5,853	3,851	27,640	9,651	18,971	373,674
1960-61	151,949	6,224	3,924	36,589	11,129	15,278	394,594
Quarter—							
Dec. 1960	35,240	1,531	764	n.a.	3,326	3,698	88,011
Mar. 1961	35,905	1,075	831	30,464	4,286	3,144	92,210
June	40,897	1,752	1,210	5,470	1,814	4,274	112,705
Sept.	p 42,034	1,764	1,495	—	1,945	4,830	98,347
Dec.	p 39,003	1,369	1,037	3,049	3,496	r 4,785	87,167
Mar. 1962	p 46,566	1,237	1,135	44,032	3,314	4,657	

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No. 60—Building Approvals (a)

Period		Number			Value					
		New Dwellings (b)			New Dwellings			Other New Buildings (c)	Alterations and Additions (c)	Total Buildings
		Private	Government	Total	Private	Government	Total			
METROPOLITAN AREA										
Year—					£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
	1956	3,761	977	4,738	12,517	2,080	14,597	7,402	4,608	26,607
	1957	3,760	1,380	5,140	12,599	3,224	15,823	6,997	3,992	26,812
	1958	4,180	762	4,942	13,690	1,688	15,378	9,318	4,160	28,856
	1959	4,498	1,011	5,509	15,489	2,356	17,845	11,042	4,190	33,077
	1960	4,994	1,598	6,592	18,057	3,357	21,414	14,773	4,729	40,916
	1961	3,248	1,078	4,326	11,677	2,582	14,259	19,138	4,036	37,433
Quarter—										
	Dec. 1960	1,047	373	1,420	4,016	738	4,754	7,408	1,113	13,275
	Mar. 1961	740	153	893	2,715	306	3,021	6,248	1,018	10,287
	June	850	720	1,570	3,093	1,716	4,809	5,640	940	11,389
	Sept.	895	5	900	3,154	20	3,174	3,607	1,116	7,897
	Dec.	763	200	963	2,715	540	3,255	3,643	962	7,860
	Mar. 1962	975	2	977	3,417	7	3,424	2,445	1,094	6,963
SOUTH AUSTRALIA										
Year—										
	1956	4,885	2,224	7,109	15,713	5,150	20,863	13,491	6,007	40,361
	1957	5,045	2,569	7,614	16,328	6,309	22,637	9,738	5,251	37,626
	1958	5,651	3,600	9,251	17,931	8,267	26,198	13,594	5,619	45,411
	1959	6,138	2,946	9,084	20,549	7,377	27,926	17,736	5,967	51,629
	1960	7,314	4,273	11,587	25,573	9,537	35,110	20,320	6,679	62,109
	1961	5,796	2,342	8,138	19,931	6,393	26,324	27,355	5,860	59,539
Quarter—										
	Dec. 1960	1,586	2,257	3,843	5,762	4,713	10,475	8,953	1,577	21,005
	Mar. 1961	1,150	610	1,760	4,053	1,491	5,544	8,159	1,408	15,111
	June	1,384	818	2,202	4,888	2,018	6,906	7,833	1,417	16,156
	Sept.	1,714	600	2,314	5,816	1,895	7,711	5,210	1,606	14,527
	Dec.	1,548	314	1,862	5,174	989	6,163	6,153	1,429	13,745
	Mar. 1962	1,767	21	1,788	5,984	91	6,075	5,415	1,531	13,021

(a) Includes permits issued by Local Government authorities for private building and contracts let or expenditure authorized for Government building.

(b) Number of individual living units—houses and flats.

(c) Additions of £5,000 or more to buildings other than dwellings are included with new buildings.

No. 61—Building Employment (a)

Particulars	December					Dec. 1960	Mar. 1961	June 1961	Sept. 1961	Dec. 1961
	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959					
Total	11,789	10,903	10,743	12,284	13,117	14,081	12,901	12,416	12,383	12,034
<i>Classified by occupational status—</i>										
Contractors	843	734	711	689	686	683	669	644	648	584
Sub-contractors	1,927	1,799	1,887	2,222	2,664	2,842	2,364	2,257	2,320	2,292
Wage-earners	9,019	8,370	8,145	9,373	9,767	10,556	9,868	9,515	9,415	9,158
<i>Classified by Trade—</i>										
Carpenters	3,526	3,385	3,269	3,474	3,638	3,796	3,438	3,332	3,304	3,374
Bricklayers	1,813	1,626	1,593	1,894	2,103	2,282	2,000	1,905	1,914	1,933
Painters	1,035	913	978	1,069	1,155	1,266	1,147	1,093	1,115	1,138
Electricians	540	462	489	570	636	783	659	646	647	627
Plumbers	899	826	842	971	1,081	1,201	1,144	1,110	1,125	1,009
Builders' laborers	2,141	2,007	1,786	2,196	2,190	2,250	2,031	2,018	1,989	1,837
Other	1,835	1,684	1,786	2,110	2,314	2,503	2,482	2,312	2,289	2,116

(a) Covers all contractors and sub-contractors and employees of contractors, subcontractors, and Government instrumentalities, who on the last working day in the month were actually engaged on the construction, alteration, repair, and maintenance of buildings, but excludes persons working on owner-built houses or for contractors or sub-contractors who undertake only alterations, additions, repairs, and maintenance. Persons 'actually engaged' include those temporarily laid off because of weather. Some duplication may occur as a result of frequent movement between jobs or because some persons (such as electricians) may work on several jobs which are under construction simultaneously.

No. 62—New Buildings

Period	Number			Value				
	Houses	Flats	Total Dwell-ings	Houses	Flats	Total Dwell-ings	Other new Buildings	Total new Buildings
				£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
COMMENCED								
Year—								
1956	7,463	149	7,612	23,077	323	23,400	10,795	34,195
1957	6,898	371	7,269	22,281	840	23,121	10,941	34,062
1958	7,141	769	7,910	22,846	1,831	24,677	14,767	39,444
1959	8,665	713	9,378	28,189	1,717	29,906	17,293	47,199
1960	9,473	713	10,186	32,008	1,922	33,930	20,077	54,007
1961	8,440	563	9,003	28,122	1,346	29,468	21,582	51,050
Quarter—								
Dec. 1960	2,342	134	2,476	7,826	295	8,121	8,310	16,431
Mar. 1961	2,067	114	2,181	6,865	266	7,131	4,893	12,024
June	2,286	113	2,399	7,516	237	7,753	8,144	15,897
Sept.	2,349	155	2,504	7,928	329	8,257	4,793	13,050
Dec.	1,738	181	1,919	5,813	514	6,327	3,752	10,079
Mar. 1962 p	2,115	95	2,210					
COMPLETED								
Year—								
1956	7,673	106	7,779	23,767	265	24,032	10,797	34,829
1957	7,318	316	7,634	23,539	716	24,255	12,073	36,328
1958	7,705	562	8,267	25,030	1,342	26,372	16,272	42,644
1959	8,628	591	9,219	27,983	1,389	29,372	14,754	44,126
1960	9,379	790	10,169	31,663	2,021	33,684	18,595	52,279
1961	9,119	709	9,828	31,026	1,862	32,888	18,904	51,792
Quarter—								
Dec. 1960	2,513	283	2,796	8,600	764	9,364	6,481	15,845
Mar. 1961	2,076	155	2,231	7,216	404	7,620	4,753	12,373
June	2,333	230	2,563	7,888	698	8,586	4,749	13,335
Sept.	2,144	181	2,325	7,229	442	7,671	3,734	11,405
Dec.	2,566	143	2,709	8,693	318	9,011	5,668	14,679
Mar. 1962 p	1,840	185	2,025					
UNDER CONSTRUCTION								
At end of—								
1955	6,165	129	6,294	18,388	312	18,700	16,817	35,517
1956	5,944	170	6,114	18,278	370	18,648	18,076	36,724
1957	5,495	225	5,720	17,580	510	18,090	17,349	35,439
1958	4,931	432	5,363	15,705	995	16,700	16,123	32,823
1959	4,968	554	5,522	16,208	1,367	17,575	18,885	36,460
Dec. 1960	5,062	477	5,539	16,849	1,305	18,154	20,832	38,986
Mar. 1961	5,053	436	5,489	16,703	1,179	17,882	20,994	38,876
June	5,006	319	5,325	16,441	728	17,169	24,558	41,727
Sept.	5,211	293	5,504	17,212	616	17,828	25,611	43,439
Dec.	4,383	331	4,714	14,300	808	15,108	23,758	38,866
Mar. 1962 p	4,658	241	4,899					

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No. 63—New Houses Commenced (a)

Period	Contract-Built				Owner-Built			
	Brick and Stone (b)		Other		Brick and Stone (b)		Other	
	No.	£'000	No.	£'000	No.	£'000	No.	£'000
Year—								
1956	4,423	13,896	1,113	2,910	1,582	5,424	345	847
1957	4,417	14,544	883	2,375	1,295	4,605	303	757
1958	4,917	16,174	886	2,329	1,074	3,733	264	610
1959	6,547	21,793	1,109	3,014	822	2,943	187	439
1960	7,674	26,317	950	2,592	708	2,746	141	353
1961	6,981	23,515	749	2,128	568	2,169	142	310
Quarter—								
Sept. 1960	2,091	7,140	261	715	186	733	35	95
Dec.	1,940	6,521	192	541	177	693	33	71
Mar. 1961	1,664	5,586	170	502	181	669	52	108
June	1,879	6,251	251	707	128	484	28	74
Sept.	2,022	6,857	170	488	133	533	24	50
Dec.	1,416	4,821	158	431	126	483	38	78

(a) Excludes flats.

(b) Includes brick veneer, cement, and composite.

No. 64—New Buildings other than Dwellings Commenced

Period	Business Premises					Education and Health	All Other	Total
	Hotels	Shops	Factories	Offices	Other (a)			
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
BUILDING VALUED £25,000 OR LESS								
Year—								
1959	88	879	954	460	1,512	818	1,009	5,720
1960	194	939	1,111	365	1,291	817	1,330	6,047
1961	222	578	786	328	925	1,136	1,141	5,116
Quarter—								
Sept. 1960... ..	57	224	335	90	380	232	330	1,648
Dec.	75	166	296	60	346	205	336	1,484
Mar. 1961... ..	—	127	330	63	183	300	298	1,301
June	58	142	133	74	249	277	313	1,246
Sept.	76	153	203	127	277	346	270	1,452
Dec.	88	156	120	64	216	213	260	1,117
BUILDING VALUED MORE THAN £25,000								
Year—								
1959	932	255	1,074	1,643	1,152	4,945	1,572	11,573
1960	408	3,657	2,055	1,637	1,029	3,442	1,802	14,030
1961	669	1,231	2,306	4,168	459	6,619	1,014	16,466
Quarter—								
Sept. 1960... ..	—	121	479	580	297	702	393	2,572
Dec.	27	3,070	684	619	294	1,450	682	6,826
Mar. 1961... ..	170	268	858	331	153	1,442	370	3,592
June	253	59	693	2,744	166	2,870	113	6,898
Sept.	214	852	440	536	114	971	214	3,341
Dec.	32	52	315	557	26	1,336	317	2,635

(a) Includes service stations, warehouses, communication buildings, etc.

No. 65—New Buildings: Value of Work Done

Type of Building	Year Ended 31st Dec.—			Quarter Ended—					
	1959	1960	1961	Sept. 1960	Dec. 1960	Mar. 1961	June 1961	Sept. 1961	Dec. 1961
	£'000								
Houses (a)	23,728	28,431	26,547	7,435	7,265	6,467	6,509	7,241	6,330
Flats	1,437	2,135	1,542	554	606	437	476	302	327
Total	25,165	30,566	28,089	7,989	7,871	6,904	6,985	7,543	6,657
Business premises—									
Hotels, etc.	720	1,075	773	271	239	82	103	294	294
Shops	1,096	1,704	3,467	465	504	799	748	1,132	788
Factories	2,539	3,146	3,634	878	772	1,105	1,314	715	500
Office premises	1,487	2,454	2,616	471	717	528	556	601	931
Other	2,837	2,220	1,844	593	702	539	563	455	287
Educational	3,711	3,000	5,256	836	757	1,034	1,331	1,593	1,298
Religious	437	471	575	139	105	175	138	160	102
Health	1,580	2,108	1,001	410	438	151	216	278	356
Entertainment, etc.	643	542	743	156	100	144	206	169	224
Miscellaneous	1,512	1,424	1,782	424	433	457	514	510	301
Total new buildings (a)	41,727	48,710	49,780	12,632	12,638	11,918	12,674	13,450	11,738

(a) Excludes Owner-built houses.

No. 66—Distances Between Adelaide and Other Capital Cities

Method of Travel	Canberra	Melbourne	Sydney	Brisbane	Perth	Hobart	Darwin
				Miles			
Road (a)	768	463	913	1,560	1,755	—	1,962
Rail	1,002	483	1,073	1,686	1,622	—	—
Sea (b)	—	515	965	1,480	(c) 1,378	772	(d) 3,180
Air	605	405	737	1,219	1,338	786	1,695

(a) Shortest distance by regular route.

(b) Nautical miles.

(c) Fremantle.

(d) Via Fremantle.

No. 67—New Motor Vehicles: Registrations

Period	Cars	Station Wagons	Utilities	Trucks	Buses	Cycles and Scooters	All Other	Total
Year—								
1956	15,315	272	3,191	1,777	128	1,541	1,014	23,238
1957	15,334	618	2,899	1,503	161	1,436	918	22,869
1958	14,930	1,828	2,854	1,424	178	1,309	1,075	23,598
1959	15,018	3,264	2,998	1,759	123	1,286	1,226	25,674
1960	18,868	4,263	2,539	1,812	132	1,865	1,083	30,562
1961	12,409	3,295	2,156	1,587	98	1,516	799	21,860
Quarter—								
Dec. 1960 ...	5,166	1,112	629	574	42	634	250	8,407
Mar. 1961 ...	3,051	877	530	341	26	601	178	5,604
June	2,921	719	686	435	15	398	250	5,424
Sept.	3,023	778	436	371	14	240	184	5,046
Dec.	3,414	921	504	440	43	277	187	5,786
Mar. 1962 ...	3,703	1,064	610	386	19	360	227	6,369
Month—								
Dec. 1961 ...	1,187	315	158	140	7	91	50	1,948
Jan. 1962 ...	974	269	154	94	4	94	58	1,647
Feb.	1,277	341	223	132	3	115	76	2,167
Mar.	1,452	454	233	160	12	151	93	2,555

No. 68—Motor Vehicles and Drivers' Licences: Number on Register

At end of—	Motor Vehicles							Drivers' and Riders Licences
	Cars and Station Wagons (a)	Utilities	Trucks	Buses	Cycles and Scooters	All Other (b)	Total	
Dec. 1955	150,597	(b)	(b)	1,082	21,322	63,232	236,233	281,091
1956	159,821	(b)	(b)	1,225	20,614	64,927	246,587	299,158
1957	168,591	(b)	(b)	1,410	19,490	66,118	255,609	315,044
1958	179,216	(b)	(b)	1,391	18,836	67,120	266,563	328,833
1959	187,052	(b)	(b)	1,295	16,732	65,855	270,934	340,973
1960	216,906(c)	37,357	29,228	1,494(c)	17,487(c)	9,689(c)	312,161(c)	369,584(c)
Mar. 1961	219,545	36,416	28,816	1,523	17,529	9,477	313,306	377,439
June	220,221	36,138	28,352	1,513	16,780	9,531	312,535	391,364
Sept.	222,653	36,013	28,144	1,529	16,359	9,653	314,351	392,940
Dec.	226,876	36,083	28,534	1,548	16,564	9,817	319,422	393,869
Mar. 1962	228,477	35,994	28,571	1,536	16,445	9,934	320,957	394,711

(a) Includes ambulances and hearses.

(b) "All other" group includes utilities and trucks prior to December 1960.

(c) Because of more accurate methods of recording from December 1960 prior figures are not comparable.

No. 69—Road Traffic Accidents

Period	Total Accidents Recorded	Acci- dents Involving Casual- ties	Persons Killed	Persons Injured	Rate per 10,000 Vehicles on Register (a) (b)			Rate per 100,000 of Mean Population (b)		
					Total Acci- dents	Persons Killed	Persons Injured	Total Acci- dents	Persons Killed	Persons Injured
Year—										
1955-56 ...	12,530	2,886	167	3,709	532	7	157	1,502	20	444
1956-57 ...	13,189	3,142	185	3,944	536	8	160	1,531	21	458
1957-58 ...	14,295	4,372	200	5,492	558	8	214	1,613	23	620
1958-59 ...	(c) 8,369	3,984	185	5,183	(c) 317	7	196	(c) 921	20	571
1959-60 ...	11,350	5,340	203	6,856	421	8	254	1,216	22	734
1960-61 ...	19,779	6,117	203	7,665	(d) 661	(d) 7	(d) 256	2,066	21	801
Quarter—										
Sept. 1960 ...	5,252	1,545	50	1,969	755	7	283	2,218	21	831
Dec. ...	4,857	1,518	62	1,956	(d) 670	(d) 9	(d) 270	2,038	26	821
Mar. 1961 ...	4,566	1,460	41	1,787	584	5	229	1,921	17	752
June ...	5,104	1,594	50	1,953	652	6	249	2,111	21	808
Sept. ...	4,859	1,490	46	1,850	620	6	236	2,000	19	761
Dec. ...	4,317	1,321	41	1,707	544	5	215	1,781	17	704

(a) "Motor vehicles on register" is the average of monthly figures and excludes Defence Service vehicles and road tractors.

(b) Quarterly rates are expressed as equivalent annual rates.

(c) Not comparable with previous years. Recorded accidents are now those involving casualty or property damage exceeding £25 (exceeding £10 prior to July 1958 and exceeding £50 July 1958 to June 1960).

(d) Because of more accurate methods of recording "Vehicles on Register" from mid-December 1960 prior figures are not comparable.

No. 70—Road Traffic Accidents: Casualties

Period	Drivers of Motor Vehicles	Motor Cyclists	Pedal Cyclists	Passengers	Pedestrians	Other and Not Stated	Total
PERSONS KILLED							
Year—							
1955-56 ...	42	20	23	51	31	—	167
1956-57 ...	46	35	17	55	32	—	185
1957-58 ...	63	19	16	51	51	—	200
1958-59 ...	46	18	19	53	49	—	185
1959-60 ...	55	16	16	62	53	1	203
1960-61 ...	65	15	17	54	52	—	203
Quarter—							
Sept. 1960 ...	16	4	5	11	14	—	50
Dec. ...	17	3	1	29	12	—	62
Mar. 1961 ...	15	5	5	8	8	—	41
June ...	17	3	6	6	18	—	50
Sept. ...	16	1	4	15	10	—	46
Dec. ...	22	3	2	11	3	—	41
PERSONS INJURED							
Year—							
1955-56 ...	827	830	359	1,262	425	6	3,709
1956-57 ...	1,120	754	358	1,251	457	4	3,944
1957-58 ...	1,473	934	653	1,823	604	5	5,492
1958-59 ...	1,440	774	576	1,857	531	5	5,183
1959-60 ...	1,958	1,095	785	2,345	670	3	6,856
1960-61 ...	2,325	1,184	852	2,418	882	4	7,665
Quarter—							
Sept. 1960 ...	587	293	228	594	265	2	1,969
Dec. ...	596	313	175	667	204	1	1,956
Mar. 1961 ...	568	288	216	536	179	—	1,787
June ...	574	290	233	621	234	1	1,953
Sept. ...	567	240	214	605	223	1	1,850
Dec. ...	544	230	180	569	184	—	1,707

No. 71—Civil Aviation

Period		Passengers Carried		Freight Carried	
		Interstate	Within State	Interstate	Within State
		No.	No.	Tons	Tons
Year—					
	1955-56	260,405	68,707	11,371	1,168
	1956-57	262,623	71,024	10,864	1,139
	1957-58	267,656	69,571	8,995	1,148
	1958-59	311,365	91,042	8,547	1,255
	1959-60	356,826	106,401	8,560	1,430
	1960-61	341,386	110,972	7,815	1,482
Quarter—					
	June 1960	81,677	27,266	2,036	355
	Sept.	80,796	24,450	2,112	370
	Dec.	86,205	26,246	2,220	396
	Mar. 1961	88,846	32,162	1,627	358
	June	85,539	28,114	1,856	358
	Sept.	78,709	26,299	1,681	356

Note: Some direct travel between Melbourne and Perth is included prior to 1st June 1961.

No. 72—South Australian Railways

Period				Passengers Carried			Passenger-mileage			Goods and Livestock Carried		
				Interstate	Within State		Interstate	Within State		Interstate	Within State	
					Country	Metro-politan		Country	Metro-politan			
				'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000	'000 Tons	'000 Tons	
Year—												
1956-57				264.4	1,147.3	15,994.5	53,756	67,379	128,673	1,745	2,773	
1957-58				260.6	913.6	16,389.7	53,147	59,634	131,179	1,703	2,463	
1958-59				253.7	847.7	15,703.5	50,707	55,799	125,391	1,688	2,539	
1959-60				255.9	784.4	15,997.4	51,856	53,530	128,183	1,746	2,313	
1960-61				257.9	732.2	14,584.1	51,975	48,707	117,423	1,787	2,749	
Quarter—												
Dec. 1960				68.3	148.0	3,501.2	14,467	11,586	28,429	473	522	
Mar. 1961				66.7	190.7	3,581.4	13,176	12,539	28,860	373	749	
June				57.3	185.4	3,613.7	10,993	11,543	29,323	449	996	
Sept.				69.2	192.6	3,700.8	13,246	12,374	29,730	390	801	
Dec.				70.2	131.0	3,352.0	14,397	10,082	27,046	375	624	
Mar. 1962				67.2	185.1	3,610.5	13,114	11,503	29,159	375	748	

Note: Particulars of Commonwealth Railways in South Australia are excluded.

No. 73—Buses and Trams: Adelaide Metropolitan Area

Period		Passengers Carried		Mileage Run	
		Municipal Tramways Trust	Private Buses	Municipal Tramways Trust	Private Buses
		'000			
Year—					
	1955-56	63,515	12,810	10,742	3,378
	1956-57	62,190	12,663	10,937	3,390
	1957-58	60,083	12,104	11,464	3,384
	1958-59	59,613	11,495	12,084	3,389
	1959-60	58,168	10,832	11,954	3,459
	1960-61	56,155	10,490	11,565	3,494
Quarter—					
	Dec. 1960	14,072	2,615	2,921	878
	Mar. 1961	13,673	2,501	2,820	849
	June	13,891	2,646	2,824	864
	Sept.	14,096	2,645	2,901	887
	Dec.	13,623	2,566	2,812	860
	Mar. 1962	13,793		2,813	

No. 74—Shipping: Arrivals from Oversea and Interstate

Arriving From—	Number of Vessels				Net Tonnage			
	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
	Number				'000 Tons			
Oversea (a)—								
British Commonwealth—								
United Kingdom	122	112	119	109	934	879	828	778
India, Pakistan, and Ceylon ...	31	49	38	33	126	199	151	123
Canada	36	35	38	40	142	160	176	196
New Zealand	77	74	57	75	187	166	142	201
Nauru and Ocean Island	29	22	22	17	111	104	100	75
Other	56	70	88	116	220	284	326	504
Foreign Countries—								
Germany	28	31	29	53	120	138	133	234
Other European	50	68	83	73	222	319	390	359
Japan	69	77	86	130	274	317	364	553
Indonesia	16	15	22	25	72	64	102	114
United States of America	63	76	77	108	262	325	318	442
Other	27	44	40	68	130	214	197	308
Total Oversea	604	673	699	847	2,800	3,169	3,227	3,887
Interstate	1,080	1,066	1,060	1,103	3,769	3,575	3,518	3,726
Total	1,684	1,739	1,759	1,950	6,569	6,744	6,745	7,613

(a) Includes shipping entering South Australian ports direct and via other States.

No. 75—Post Offices (a)

Particulars	Unit	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
Offices—							
Post	No.	898	897	902	904	913	924
Telephone (b)	No.	109	110	108	110	109	106
Employees	No.	8,736	9,205	9,403	9,692	9,870	10,078
Articles posted	'000	139,144	140,350	144,083	149,953	152,522	158,388
Telegraph messages despatched	'000	2,085	2,038	1,942	1,878	1,835	1,813
Value of money orders issued	£'000	4,774	5,270	5,690	6,118	7,563	8,518
Value of postal notes issued	£'000	1,223	1,238	1,262	1,236	1,246	1,216
Net cash receipts	£'000	7,087	7,965	8,606	9,096	10,775	11,963
Non-capital payments (c)	£'000	6,860	7,255	7,951	8,391	9,413	9,762

(a) Includes Northern Territory.

(b) Offices at which telephone and telegraph business only is transacted.

(c) Excludes Trust Fund transactions.

No. 76—Radio and Television Licences and Telephone Connections (a)

Period	Radio Listeners' Licences		Television Viewers' Licences		Telephone Services	
	Number Issued	Total (b)	Number Issued	Total (b)	New Connections	Total (b)
Year—						
1955-56	16,578	228,625	—	—	12,104	107,649
1956-57	20,204	234,120	—	—	12,041	114,390
1957-58	18,262	238,916	—	—	13,887	122,311
1958-59	20,804	247,468	6,124	6,124	15,538	131,060
1959-60	17,277	249,973	79,304	84,581	13,933	138,020
1960-61	17,005	249,475	45,012	124,808	15,603	144,502
Quarter—						
Dec. 1960	4,192	250,971	10,242	110,865	3,682	141,453
Mar. 1961	3,703	250,717	7,432	116,206	3,355	142,986
June	3,858	249,475	10,052	124,808	3,737	144,502
Sept.	3,843	249,527	7,996	130,686	4,152	146,783
Dec.	3,501	250,605	5,693	132,760	4,001	148,799
Mar. 1962	4,417	251,306	9,661	134,187	3,947	150,298

(a) Includes Northern Territory (at 30th June 1961, existing Radio Licences 3,439, Telephone Services 4,355).

(b) Total on issue at the end of the period.

Trade

All statistics shown in Tables 78 to 86 relate to articles shipped direct between ports in South Australia and overseas countries. Oversea exports and imports via other states are NOT included.

Value of outside packages (containers etc.) is included with individual commodities for exports, and with the "All other" group for imports.

Details of interstate movements of goods (particularly by road) are extremely difficult to obtain, but a few major items which are available are shown in Table 77 below.

No. 77—Interstate Movement of Goods

Commodity	Unit	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
IMPORTS							
Coal (black)	Ton	856,391	854,131	845,649	761,955	805,750	642,102
Diesel and residual oils etc. (a)	'000 gal.	47,801	40,936	39,014	42,060	49,210	
Petrol (a)	'000 gal.	54,712	72,891	94,310	78,323	86,445	
Wool (b)	Bale	n.a.	n.a.	60,694	60,777	68,608	72,669
EXPORTS							
Ores (c)	Ton	212,528	243,541	195,108	216,423	179,585	211,829
Wool (b)	Bale	n.a.	n.a.	70,386	64,564	69,509	73,732

(a) From Western Australia only. Details for other States not available.

(b) For years ended March. Imports mainly from New South Wales and exports almost all to Victoria.

(c) To Tasmania only. Details for other States not available.

n.a.—Not available.

No. 78—Direct Oversea Imports: Principal Commodities

Commodity	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	8 Months to Feb	
							1960	1961 p
					£'000			
Bags and sacks	2,478	2,573	2,045	2,026	1,112	3,705	3,461	2,510
Paper, pulp, and board	1,838	1,694	1,712	1,616	2,346	2,616	1,712	966
Textiles and piecegoods	3,374	2,495	3,156	2,818	3,201	3,657	2,621	1,727
Timber	3,371	2,808	2,677	2,067	2,828	3,603	3,029	1,250
Drugs, chemicals, and medicines	1,680	1,169	2,213	1,600	1,462	1,685	1,179	1,015
Metals and metal manufactures—								
Electrical equipment	2,614	2,125	2,554	3,204	4,713	4,235	2,749	1,976
Iron and steel	6,988	3,382	2,544	1,991	2,335	6,891	5,515	863
Machines and machinery	8,790	7,239	7,815	7,260	10,043	11,842	7,746	5,557
Vehicles—								
Motor vehicles and parts	8,479	4,534	4,409	5,192	8,505	8,741	6,389	2,415
Other	2,576	944	1,046	697	851	1,137	885	357
All other	2,888	2,046	2,027	1,921	2,533	3,439	2,300	1,366
Oils, fats, and waxes	5,225	4,045	2,867	3,113	3,587	3,820	2,428	2,174
All other	12,451	10,353	12,038	11,841	16,231	16,011	11,200	9,022
Total...	62,752	45,407	47,103	45,346	59,747	71,382	51,214	31,198

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No. 79—Direct Oversea Exports: Principal Commodities

Commodity		1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	9 Months to Mar	
								1960	1961 p
QUANTITIES									
Wheat	'000 bush.	15,897	20,123	14,749	14,386	11,161	23,911	11,625	23,140
Barley	'000 bush.	13,913	18,709	17,592	17,683	13,705	22,427	9,760	18,223
Wool (greasy equivalent)	'000 lb.	141,258	155,605	138,188	156,616	157,406	152,861	114,726	145,163
Pig-lead	'000 cwt	2,863	3,218	3,260	2,847	2,422	2,537	1,957	2,595
VALUES (£'000)									
Wheat		11,052	13,826	10,686	10,146	7,830	16,271	8,003	16,159
Barley		7,035	9,268	8,591	10,202	6,126	9,609	4,131	8,196
Fruit (fresh, dried, etc.)		3,718	2,975	3,562	3,824	4,004	3,431	1,904	1,952
Meat		2,461	1,732	3,002	3,794	2,573	1,502	1,396	1,351
Hides and skins		2,283	3,287	3,831	2,511	3,841	2,911	2,269	2,250
Wool		35,032	49,462	36,541	31,604	37,415	32,164	23,601	32,613
Concentrates and ores		4,572	7,068	7,683	5,098	5,968	8,144	4,331	6,016
Metals and metal manufactures—									
Pig-lead		19,170	22,008	15,703	12,438	10,841	10,499	8,163	9,726
Other		4,234	4,814	3,809	3,345	5,236	6,890	4,943	5,111
All other		8,109	8,484	6,474	7,954	6,992	7,858	7,360	8,298
Total...		97,666	122,924	99,882	90,916	90,826	99,279	66,101	91,672

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No. 80—Direct Oversea Imports: Principal Countries :

Period	United Kingdom	Canada	India	Germany Federal Republic	Indonesia	Japan	Netherlands	U.S.A.	Other	Total
£'000										
Year—										
1955-56 ...	30,827	2,371	3,349	1,982	2,019	1,992	993	7,332	11,887	62,752
1956-57 ...	19,965	2,378	3,546	1,370	1,176	629	1,165	5,560	9,618	45,407
1957-58 ...	21,394	2,251	3,351	2,105	1,030	855	1,330	5,496	9,291	47,103
1958-59 ...	19,037	3,068	2,598	1,717	1,369	1,159	1,803	5,203	9,392	45,346
1959-60 ...	26,180	3,438	1,614	2,596	1,627	1,603	2,065	7,243	13,381	59,747
1960-61 ...	23,267	4,677	3,617	2,817	1,290	3,823	2,579	12,542	16,770	71,382
Quarter—										
Sept. 1960 p	5,206	1,756	389	739	472	762	757	3,103	4,850	18,034
Dec. p	6,513	823	2,304	740	160	1,638	656	3,005	4,878	20,717
Mar. 1961 p	6,225	1,068	607	668	247	986	620	3,904	4,052	18,377
June p	5,339	1,000	339	659	385	440	556	2,521	2,987	14,226
Sept. p	3,854	527	348	671	481	414	470	1,915	3,689	12,369
Dec. p	3,445	413	728	625	288	298	211	1,217	3,108	10,333

Note: Amendments are made only to annual and not to quarterly figures, so the total of four quarters will not necessarily agree with the annual total nor will totals for quarters agree with figures shown in other tables.

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No. 81—Direct Oversea Imports from Principal Countries, 1960-61 : Commodity Groups

Commodity Group	United Kingdom	Canada	India	Germany Federal Republic	Netherlands	U.S.A.	Other	Total
£'000								
Foodstuffs of animal origin ...	157	85	—	28	18	62	433	783
Foodstuffs of vegetable origin ...	53	1	124	7	75	62	815	1,137
Vegetable substances ...	53	—	11	1	11	838	632	1,546
Fibres and yarns ...	398	—	2,550	219	1	150	1,236	4,554
Textiles ...	1,427	17	831	99	62	113	1,108	3,657
Apparel ...	263	1	—	22	5	24	158	473
Oils, fats, and waxes—								
Motor and aviation spirit ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	(a) 2,014	2,014
Other ...	183	—	42	7	9	384	1,181	1,806
Metals and metal manufactures—								
Basic shapes ...	2,218	919	—	51	3	2,115	2,163	7,469
Vehicles—								
Motor vehicles and parts	2,790	1,248	—	114	—	1,735	(b) 2,854	8,741
Other ...	497	—	—	17	1	64	558	1,137
Other manufactures ...	1,706	13	—	156	93	300	596	2,864
Dynamo electrical machinery and equipment ...	2,201	14	—	303	1,706	524	206	4,954
Machinery (including electrically operated) ...	5,043	186	1	709	268	3,761	1,154	11,122
Rubber (except apparel) ...	283	50	—	12	11	124	373	853
Wood and wicker ...	31	1,236	—	4	1	777	1,695	3,744
Earthenware, cement, china, glassware ...	1,362	8	—	46	11	51	559	2,037
Paper, pulp, and paper board ...	495	630	—	33	37	41	1,380	2,616
Paper manufactures, stationery, books ...	926	2	—	54	15	276	37	1,310
All other ...	3,181	267	58	935	252	1,141	2,731	8,565
Total ...	23,267	4,677	3,617	2,817	2,579	12,542	21,883	71,382

(a) Principally from Iran (£689,000) ; Bahrain Island (£627,000) ; and Indonesia (£520,000).

(b) Principally from France (£2,740,000).

— Nil or less than £500.

No. 82—Direct Oversea Exports: Principal Countries

Period	United Kingdom	New Zealand	Belgium and Luxembourg	France	Germany Federal Republic	Italy	Japan	U.S.A.	Other	Total
£'000										
Year—										
1955-56 ...	37,801	7,299	3,456	7,397	2,967	2,218	6,558	10,458	19,512	97,666
1956-57 ...	38,851	9,059	3,534	9,847	3,736	3,791	16,682	16,030	21,394	122,924
1957-58 ...	31,254	7,790	4,703	8,665	3,122	3,899	11,138	9,244	20,067	99,882
1958-59 ...	31,474	7,103	3,409	6,288	3,494	2,138	11,978	7,687	17,345	90,916
1959-60 ...	28,836	3,861	2,558	7,085	5,077	2,643	11,601	7,108	22,057	90,826
1960-61 ...	26,734	5,431	2,187	5,747	3,400	3,123	17,572	4,567	30,518	99,279
Quarter—										
Sept. 1960 p	5,775	1,395	602	1,459	508	1,487	2,785	1,311	4,602	19,924
Dec. p	6,318	841	530	1,841	391	663	4,627	1,128	5,301	21,640
Mar. 1961 p	6,036	1,505	462	1,344	828	533	4,692	1,304	8,276	24,980
June p	8,399	1,685	545	1,093	1,683	437	5,638	875	12,904	33,259
Sept. p	6,034	1,307	730	1,217	453	847	6,141	2,066	11,441	30,236
Dec. p	8,378	1,108	759	2,370	879	2,074	4,569	3,437	7,494	31,068

Note: Amendments are made only to annual and not to quarterly figures, so the total of four quarters will not necessarily agree with the annual total, nor will totals for quarters agree with figures shown in other tables.

p—Preliminary

No. 83—Direct Oversea Exports to Principal Countries, 1960-61 : Commodity Groups

Commodity Group	United Kingdom	New Zealand	France	Germany Federal Republic	Japan	U.S.A.	Other	Total
£'000								
Foodstuffs of animal origin—								
Meats, poultry, and game ...	875	—	1	134	39	250	203	1,502
Dairy products, eggs, honey ...	1,188	—	—	37	—	—	27	1,252
Other (including fish) ...	—	—	—	—	—	159	9	168
Foodstuffs of vegetable origin—								
Cereals, bakery products, vegetables ...	4,874	1,989	—	1,466	32	36	(a) 19,923	28,320
Fruit (including pulp and juices) ...	2,021	722	1	70	—	2	694	3,510
Other ...	54	3	—	10	38	5	297	407
Spirituous liquors ...	734	64	—	—	1	1	526	1,326
Animal substances—								
Fibres (including wool) ...	7,301	111	3,425	1,512	9,905	595	(b) 9,335	32,184
Hides, skins, and other ...	201	—	2,270	24	20	34	362	2,911
Oils, fats, and waxes ...	27	2	—	—	89	3	352	473
Rocks and minerals ...	3,182	246	—	99	4,026	94	852	8,499
Metals and metal manufactures—								
Basic shapes—								
Pig lead ...	5,270	436	23	—	1,055	3,238	477	10,499
Other ...	347	298	—	13	2,305	4	89	3,056
Vehicles and parts ...	8	763	3	—	5	3	1,409	2,191
Other manufactures ...	120	116	2	10	1	22	50	321
Machinery and electrical appliances	134	246	1	2	—	7	291	681
Bullion and specie ...	—	6	13	—	—	—	622	641
All other ...	398	429	8	23	56	114	310	1,338
Total ...	26,734	5,431	5,747	3,400	17,572	4,567	35,828	99,279

(a) Principally to Republic of China (Mainland) (£7,108,000) and Iraq (£1,742,000).

(b) Principally to Italy (£1,500,000) and Belgium and Luxembourg (£1,475,000).

— Nil or less than £500.

No. 84—Direct Oversea Exports to Principal Countries: Wheat

Period	United Kingdom	New Zealand	Rhodesia and Nyasaland	China, Republic of (Mainland)	Germany Federal Republic	Iran	Iraq	Other	Total
£'000									
Year—									
1955-56	1	4,908	1,234	1	—	415	1,872	2,621	11,052
1956-57	512	5,936	1,559	—	106	761	1,967	2,985	13,826
1957-58	970	5,125	2,149	—	—	318	69	2,055	10,686
1958-59	1,687	4,741	1,333	—	288	164	792	1,141	10,146
1959-60	701	978	2,066	—	706	352	2,496	531	7,830
1960-61	2,964	1,984	1,354	3,694	1,204	491	1,742	2,838	16,271
Quarter—									
Dec. 1960 ... p	249	—	264	—	—	118	652	32	1,315
Mar. 1961 ... p	768	872	643	1,309	314	192	839	661	5,598
June ... p	1,947	752	213	2,385	890	181	—	1,900	8,268
Sept. ... p	940	372	369	1,007	—	216	14	r 2,489	r 5,407
Dec. ... p	938	257	314	—	277	62	—	r 2,662	r 5,416
Mar. 1962 ... p	947	658	505	540	1,260	46	—	2,286	6,242

p—Preliminary.
 — Nil or less than £500.
 r—Revised.

No. 85—Direct Oversea Exports to Principal Countries: Barley

Period	United Kingdom	Belgium and Luxemburg	Germany Federal Republic	Italy	Japan	Netherlands	Other	Total
£'000								
Year—								
1955-56	622	785	887	225	3,328	861	327	7,035
1956-57	650	583	454	170	6,180	826	405	9,268
1957-58	1,085	733	1,096	120	4,082	1,272	203	8,591
1958-59	1,077	1,238	1,694	206	3,908	1,843	236	10,202
1959-60	1,248	157	1,916	633	468	1,132	572	6,126
1960-61	1,688	r 75	246	1,525	—	1,122	r 4,953	r 9,609
Quarter—								
Dec. 1960 ... p	28	—	41	244	—	276	—	589
Mar. 1961 ... p	932	36	98	182	—	475	555	2,278
June ... p	642	5	97	39	—	312	4,383	5,478
Sept. ... p	429	21	15	248	—	6	3,640	4,359
Dec. ... p	220	—	—	191	—	124	r 1,065	r 1,600
Mar. 1962 ... p	241	—	1,126	—	—	604	267	2,238

p—Preliminary.
 — Nil or less than £500.
 r—Revised.

No. 86—Direct Oversea Exports to Principal Countries: Wool

Period	United Kingdom	Belgium and Luxemburg	France	Germany Federal Republic	Italy	Japan	Poland	All Other	Total
£'000									
Year—									
1955-56	15,343	1,930	5,294	1,782	1,742	2,117	658	6,166	35,032
1956-57	20,062	2,250	6,648	2,598	3,497	6,118	1,345	6,944	49,462
1957-58	12,764	2,013	5,167	1,594	3,323	3,107	1,575	6,998	36,541
1958-59	11,106	1,429	4,033	1,087	1,694	5,501	1,270	5,484	31,604
1959-60	10,883	2,076	3,813	2,009	1,868	6,724	1,503	8,539	37,415
1960-61	r 7,286	1,475	r 3,424	r 1,511	1,499	r 9,868	1,033	r 6,088	r 32,184
Quarter—									
Dec. 1960 ... p	2,883	445	1,195	315	399	2,526	5	1,972	9,740
Mar. 1961 ... p	1,235	362	797	396	336	2,461	439	1,417	7,443
June ... p	1,266	467	613	532	374	3,386	579	1,362	8,579
Sept. ... p	r 1,531	r 591	628	r 364	r 508	r 3,314	r 242	r 1,832	r 9,010
Dec. ... p	r 3,420	745	r 1,578	457	r 687	r 2,539	r 162	r 3,335	r 12,923
Mar. 1962 ... p	2,100	622	803	393	990	2,489	499	2,783	10,679

p—Preliminary.
 r—Revised.

No. 87—Retail Sales

Period	Food and Groceries				Beer, Wine, and Spirits	Clothing and Drapery	Footwear	Hardware, China, and Glassware	Electrical Goods and Radios	Furniture and Floor Coverings	Chemists' Goods	Other	Total (Excl. Motor Vehicles, etc.) (e) (f)	Motor Vehicles, Parts, Petrol, etc. (f) (g)
	Groceries	Butchers' Meat	Other (c)	Total	(d)			(e)				(e) (f)		
£ million														
Year—														
1952-53 (a)	20.6	10.4	16.8	47.8	14.8	28.5	4.4	9.5	7.0	7.7	4.1	19.7	143.5	45.3
1954-55	23.5	12.5	21.0	57.0	17.2	39.7		10.4	8.8	9.1	28.6		170.8	60.2
1955-56	25.9	13.2	23.9	63.0	18.5	41.4		11.4	9.3	9.4	31.0		184.0	64.7
1956-57 (a)	27.5	14.5	25.5	67.5	19.9	35.4	5.6	11.1	9.4	9.4	6.5	26.7	191.5	65.5
1957-58	28.4	13.8	26.0	68.2	19.9	41.3		10.9	10.7	9.4	33.7		194.1	65.6
1958-59	30.1	15.0	29.9	75.0	19.4	37.2	6.1	11.2	12.6	9.6	8.0	28.3	207.4	73.5
1959-60	32.8	15.8	33.5	82.1	21.1	39.4	7.0	12.0	22.3	11.1	8.8	31.3	235.1	84.8
1960-61 (b)	r 35.6	r 17.9	35.0	88.5	21.9	r 40.0	6.9	r 12.7	r 18.6	11.3	9.9	r 33.1	r 242.9	r 83.6
Quarter—														
Mar. 1960	8.0	3.9	8.6	20.5	5.8	8.2	1.5	2.9	5.7	2.6	2.1	7.6	56.9	20.9
June	8.4	4.2	8.4	21.0	4.8	10.9	1.9	2.9	5.8	2.7	2.2	7.7	59.9	22.6
Sept.	8.7	4.5	8.4	21.6	4.9	9.6	1.6	3.0	4.7	3.1	2.3	7.9	58.7	23.1
Dec.	9.3	4.4	9.3	23.0	6.1	11.3	2.0	3.7	5.3	3.2	2.7	9.6	66.9	23.0
Mar. 1961	8.6	4.4	9.0	22.0	5.9	8.3	1.5	3.0	4.5	2.5	2.4	7.8	57.9	18.5
June (b)	9.0	4.6	8.3	21.9	5.0	r 10.8	1.8	3.0	r 4.1	2.5	2.5	7.8	r 59.4	r 19.0
Sept. (b)	9.0	4.3	r 8.5	r 21.8	r 5.1	9.7	1.6	2.9	r 3.9	2.7	2.5	8.0	r 58.2	r 17.7
Dec. (b)	9.3	4.4	9.5	23.2	6.4	11.2	2.0	3.8	4.7	3.0	2.8	9.7	66.8	19.3

Note : Figures in this table, other than Census figures, are estimates subject to frequent minor revisions.

(a) Census figures.

(b) Subject to revision.

(c) Excludes some delivered milk and bread.

(d) Excludes sales made by licensed clubs, canteens, etc.

(e) Excludes basic building materials (e.g. timber, roofing tiles, bricks, cement, etc.).

(f) Excludes farm machinery and implements, earthmoving equipment, etc.

(g) Includes new and used motor vehicles, tractors, and parts, petrol, etc.

No. 88—Retail Hire Purchase (a)

(Operations of Finance businesses which finance the sale of goods by retail but do not retail goods themselves)

Period	Number of Agreements				Value of Goods Sold (b)				Amount Financed (c)				Balances Outstanding at end of period
	Motor Vehicles	Plant and Machinery	Household Goods	Total	Motor Vehicles	Plant and Machinery	Household Goods	Total	Motor Vehicles	Plant and Machinery	Household Goods	Total	
					£'000				£'000				£'000
Year—													
1955-56	35,939	1,414	56,879	94,232	23,551	727	4,722	29,000	13,769	459	3,985	18,213	21,618
1956-57	38,667	2,248	61,397	102,312	26,370	1,633	5,049	33,052	15,996	1,023	4,226	21,245	25,342
1957-58	40,251	1,948	86,923	129,122	26,518	1,319	6,696	34,533	16,132	844	5,637	22,613	28,688
1958-59	42,058	2,917	97,016	141,991	28,118	1,828	7,612	37,558	17,245	1,166	6,453	24,864	32,621
1959-60	49,162	2,535	101,794	153,491	34,201	1,631	11,154	46,986	21,762	1,072	9,351	32,185	42,922
1960-61	37,318	2,886	70,853	111,057	28,426	2,507	7,647	38,580	17,957	1,656	6,317	25,930	42,362
Quarter—													
Mar. 1960	12,250	585	24,659	37,494	8,292	390	2,904	11,586	5,319	256	2,386	7,961	40,434
June	12,725	520	22,484	35,729	9,190	417	2,694	12,301	5,952	278	2,265	8,495	42,922
Sept.	12,282	604	21,089	33,975	9,505	438	2,430	12,373	6,166	298	2,011	8,475	45,110
Dec.	11,403	1,134	21,925	34,462	8,945	1,134	2,212	12,291	5,622	756	1,813	8,191	47,156
Mar. 1961	7,318	590	18,472	26,380	5,386	413	1,995	7,794	3,364	270	1,640	5,274	44,812
June	6,315	558	9,367	16,240	4,590	522	1,010	6,122	2,805	332	853	3,990	42,362
Month—													
April 1960	3,947	122	6,936	11,005	2,857	98	866	3,821	1,842	65	729	2,636	41,160
May	4,419	194	7,834	12,447	3,149	156	943	4,248	2,048	108	799	2,955	42,069
June	4,359	204	7,714	12,277	3,184	163	885	4,232	2,062	105	737	2,904	42,922
April 1961	1,904	129	2,791	4,824	1,400	166	294	1,860	872	94	262	1,228	43,636
May	2,283	226	3,359	5,868	1,705	200	372	2,277	1,041	133	310	1,484	43,000
June	2,128	203	3,217	5,548	1,485	156	344	1,985	892	105	281	1,278	(d)42,362

(a) Includes Northern Territory.

(b) Value at net cash or list price (excluding hire charges and insurance).

(c) Excludes hiring charges and insurance.

(d) Balances outstanding, Sept. 1961—£39,942,000 (preliminary figure).

Oct. 1961—£39,481,000 (" ").
 Nov. 1961—£38,944,000 (" ").
 Dec. 1961—£38,731,000 (" ").
 Jan. 1962—£38,172,000 (" ").
 Feb. 1962—£37,380,000 (" ").

No. 89—Savings Banks

Date	Accounts Open	Deposits	Average Deposit per Account	Average Deposit per Head of Population
	No.	£'000	£ s.	£ s.
30th June 1956	1,213,495	135,756	111 17	160 0
1957	1,247,451	142,401	114 3	163 2
1958	1,285,086	148,858	115 17	166 0
1959	1,325,202	157,152	118 12	170 13
1960	1,381,830	165,998	120 3	175 12
30th Sept. 1960	1,393,617	166,112	119 4	175 0
31st Dec.	1,396,838	163,786	117 5	171 3
31st Mar. 1961	1,415,936	163,199	115 5	169 3
30th June	1,426,107	166,743	116 18	172 1
30th Sept.	1,443,282	169,116	117 3	173 11
31st Dec.	1,453,357	170,526	117 7	174 1
31st Mar. 1962	1,479,666	173,699	117 8	

No. 90—Trading Banks

Period	Deposits (a)			Advances (a)	Debits to Customers' Accounts (b)
	Bearing Interest	Not Bearing Interest	Total		
	£'000				
Year—					
1955-56	34,519	87,858	122,377	54,499	39,618
1956-57	37,697	88,545	126,242	53,260	42,773
1957-58	43,435	91,276	134,711	57,286	44,370
1958-59	45,694	86,485	132,179	62,791	46,291
1959-60	45,131	89,996	135,127	68,170	53,467
1960-61	45,332	86,107	131,439	76,948	58,044
Quarter—					
Dec. 1960	43,290	85,902	129,192	80,530	60,572
Mar. 1961	46,843	89,345	136,188	75,235	57,900
June	49,137	85,787	134,924	73,674	57,197
Sept.	51,786	78,633	130,419	75,308	52,555
Dec.	54,055	82,215	136,270	75,930	59,150
Mar. 1962	55,643	91,750	147,393	73,418	58,796

(a) Average of balances at close of business on Wednesdays during the period.

(b) Average of debits during weeks ending on Wednesdays during the period. Includes Rural Credits Department of the Reserve Bank and the Commonwealth Development Bank.

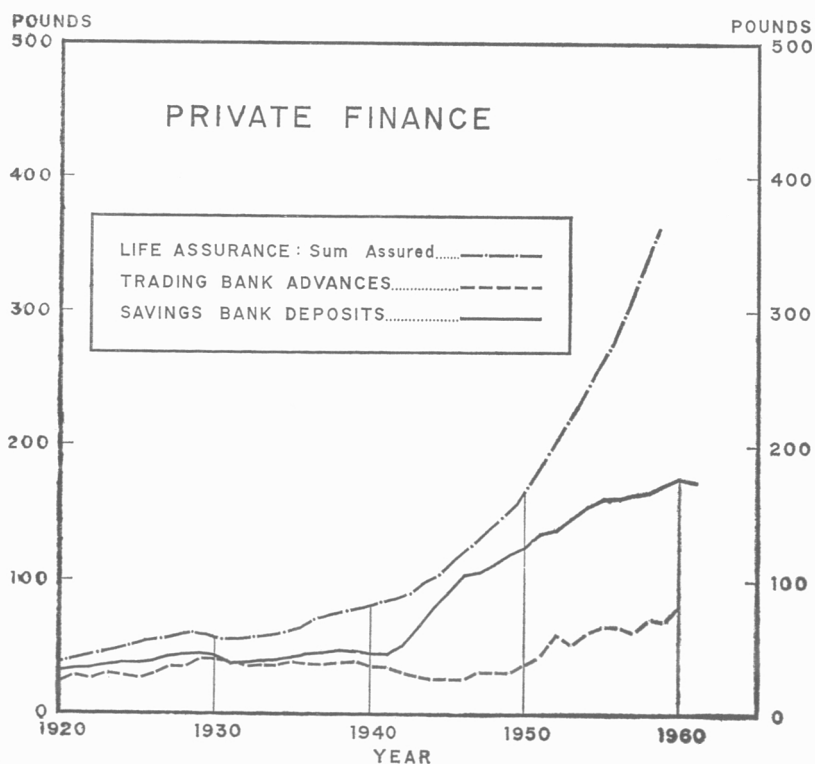
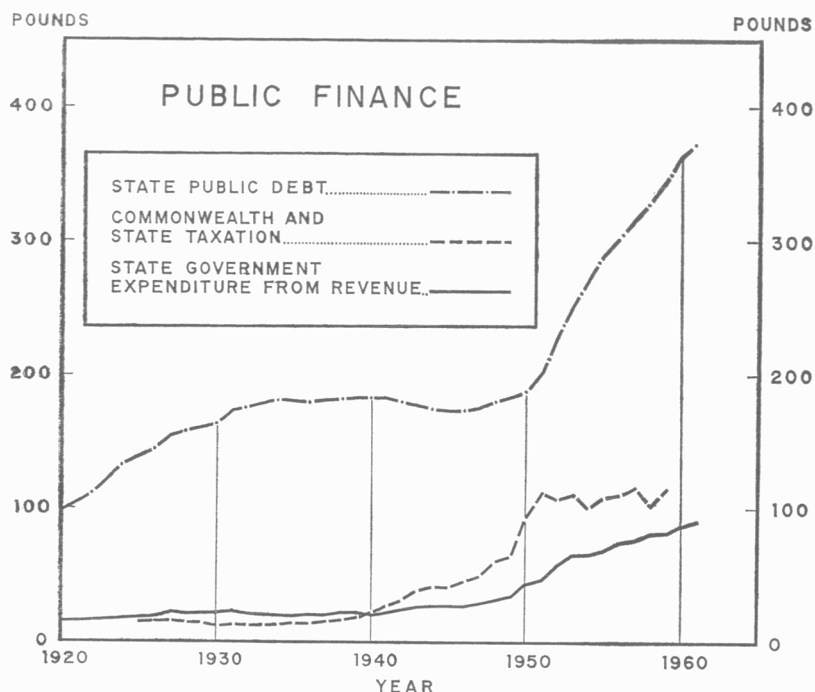
No. 91—Co-operative, Building, and Friendly Societies

Particulars	Unit	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES							
Societies	No.	70	72	68	71	69	70
Members	No.	109,667	114,018	109,636	112,844	116,645	111,031
Total income	£'000	14,411	15,432	16,264	17,096	18,182	19,885
Total assets	£'000	9,549	10,339	11,380	12,163	13,247	14,047
Rebates and interest to members	£'000	643	703	669	868	896	902
BUILDING SOCIETIES							
Societies	No.	20	22	23	25	25	26
Shareholders	No.	24,397	24,266	24,321	24,665	24,847	24,835
Total receipts	£'000	n.a.	n.a.	1,358	1,536	1,899	1,982
Total assets	£'000	2,787	3,019	3,461	3,938	4,712	5,392
Loans granted	£'000	574	590	721	932	1,157	1,212
FRIENDLY SOCIETIES							
Societies	No.	14	14	14	14	14	14
Benefit members	No.	57,216	55,499	54,181	53,114	52,239	51,551
Total revenue	£'000	873	919	1,080	1,226	1,576	1,964
Total assets	£'000	4,533	4,630	4,806	4,977	5,401	5,474
Benefits paid	£'000	443	439	482	519	640	701

n.a.—Not available.

SELECTED LONG TERM FINANCIAL TRENDS

(PER HEAD OF POPULATION)



No. 92—Life Assurance

Year	Loans Outstanding		New Business			Business Existing, End of Year		
	Mortgage	Other	Policies	Sum Assured	Annual Premiums	Policies	Sum Assured	Annual Premiums
	£'000	£'000	No.	£'000	£'000	No.	£'000	£'000
ORDINARY								
1956	28,592	34,400.0	1,169.8	312,706	207,481.6	7,288.2
1957	30,437	41,359.4	1,378.2	327,978	237,772.2	8,236.7
1958	30,663	43,775.1	1,326.9	341,088	267,307.8	9,032.4
1959	36,405	55,208.1	1,531.6	359,126	305,210.1	9,974.2
1960	42,664	62,666.1	1,762.0	408,183	344,668.9	11,024.2
Not available								
INDUSTRIAL								
1956	21,359	3,250.6	150.7	397,506	31,295.6	1,502.8
1957	21,793	3,375.7	157.1	386,368	31,787.8	1,511.1
1958	20,849	3,293.3	152.9	378,679	32,553.5	1,532.7
1959	19,184	3,049.1	141.6	369,621	32,992.8	1,538.3
1960	17,361	3,309.6	151.7	357,065	33,621.6	1,551.0
TOTAL								
1956	...	15,987.1	49,951	37,650.6	1,320.5	710,212	238,777.2	8,791.0
1957	...	19,579.2	52,230	44,735.1	1,535.3	714,346	269,560.0	9,747.8
1958	...	23,181.4	51,512	47,068.4	1,479.8	719,767	299,861.3	10,565.1
1959	...	26,223.1	55,589	58,257.2	1,673.2	728,747	338,202.9	11,512.5
1960	60,025	65,975.7	1,913.7	765,248	378,290.5	12,575.2

No. 93—General Insurance

Class of Insurance	Premiums			Claims			Other Expenses (a)		
	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
	£'000			£'000			£'000		
Fire	2,324	2,301	2,704	488	554	674	1,650	1,621	2,140
Householders' comprehensive	1,048	1,163	1,320	186	227	240			
Loss of profits	221	237	263	1	52	4			
Sprinkler leakage	4	3	5	—	—	1			
Hailstone	117	34	160	52	32	41	1,817	1,881	2,158
Marine	527	578	613	394	233	206			
Motor vehicle	4,072	4,276	4,986	2,346	2,500	3,075			
Motor cycle	40	34	32	18	10	17			
Motor—Third party	1,566	1,690	1,891	1,221	1,453	1,750	520	545	654
Employers' liability and Seamen's compensation (b)	1,751	1,877	2,274	1,365	1,389	1,620			
Personal accident	689	751	772	331	295	327			
Burglary	148	158	197	50	54	84			
Television	7	128	110	—	16	53	248	313	350
All other	476	606	652	186	307	250			
Total	12,990	13,836	15,979	6,639	7,127	8,342	4,712	4,881	5,862

(a) Includes contributions to fire brigades, management expenses, commission and agents charges, and taxation.

(b) Includes Workmen's Compensation.

— Nil or less than £500.

No. 94—Property Transfers and Mortgages

Period	Property Transferred (a)		Mortgages—Real Estate			
			New Loans		Discharges	
	No.	£'000	No.	£'000	No.	£'000
Year—						
1956-57	28,595	62,280	17,995	42,452	12,321	15,673
1957-58	31,843	72,408	21,039	44,346	14,478	20,361
1958-59	35,389	78,486	24,395	56,963	16,715	21,536
1959-60	42,303	99,697	28,874	62,168	19,454	25,396
1960-61	38,389	103,143	29,187	82,401	20,093	28,213
Quarter—						
Dec. 1960	10,017	26,852	7,813	19,109	4,961	6,137
Mar. 1961	8,805	24,715	6,945	13,412	4,642	6,902
June	8,475	21,783	6,485	20,506	4,945	6,253
Sept.	8,606	21,703	6,694	15,519	5,046	6,962
Dec.	7,990	21,016	6,579	16,199	4,935	6,251
Mar. 1962	8,245	22,044	7,074	17,280	5,541	7,235

(a) Includes sales and gifts of real and personal property, but excludes sales of shares and securities, devises by will, conveyances by which no beneficial interest passes, and gifts for religious or educational purposes. The value of transfers to ex-servicemen is reduced by tax free exemptions.

No. 95—State Government Finance: Consolidated Revenue Fund

Particulars	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	9 Months to March	
					1961	1962
PAYMENTS (£'000)						
Social services—						
Education...	9,848	11,805	13,662	15,617	11,185	12,963
Health and recreation ...	6,419	7,117	8,126	8,727	6,147	6,993
Other ...	3,635	3,972	4,393	4,946	3,599	4,185
War obligations ...	406	370	392	452	249	301
Development of State resources—						
Roads ...	3,264	3,537	3,693	3,890	4,330	4,550
Other ...	2,603	2,414	2,150	3,322		
Administrative activities—						
Financial transfers ...	6,000	5,139	5,720	4,330	3,225	3,075
Superannuation contribu- tions ...	955	1,087	1,092	1,176	860	972
Other ...	2,859	2,979	3,276	3,522	2,542	2,631
Debt charges—						
Interest ...	11,845	12,959	14,483	15,594	10,069	11,304
Sinking Fund ...	2,752	3,116	3,445	3,677	2,731	2,918
Public undertakings—						
Railways ...	15,156	14,125	14,264	14,218	10,658	11,021
Waterworks and sewers	3,306	3,044	3,777	3,519	2,542	3,232
Other ...	1,994	2,043	2,116	2,101	1,497	1,617
Total payments ...	71,042	73,707	80,589	85,091	59,634	65,762
RECOVERIES (a) (£'000)						
Social services—						
Education...	579	848	1,127	1,369	996	1,284
Health and recreation ...	1,446	1,677	2,170	2,448	1,776	1,988
Other ...	602	670	779	895	654	721
War obligations ...	54	51	94	104	14	10
Development of State resources—						
Roads ...	626	463	312	370	232	251
Debt Charges—						
Interest ...	5,095	5,523	6,278	6,822	5,311	4,809
Sinking Fund ...	1,186	1,307	1,391	1,502		
Public Undertakings—						
Railways ...	17,948	17,526	16,846	17,686	12,930	13,739
Waterworks and sewers	4,451	4,644	5,083	6,269	5,579	6,153
Other ...	2,913	3,014	3,253	3,575	2,499	2,535
Total Recoveries...	34,900	35,723	37,333	41,040	29,991	32,587
NET COST OF FUNCTIONS (£'000)						
Social services—						
Education...	9,269	10,957	12,535	14,248	10,189	11,679
Health and recreation ...	4,973	5,440	5,956	6,280	4,371	5,005
Other ...	3,033	3,302	3,614	4,051	2,945	3,464
War obligations ...	352	319	298	347	235	291
Development of State resources—						
Roads ...	3,264	3,537	3,693	3,890	4,098	4,299
Other ...	1,977	1,951	1,838	2,952		
Administrative activities—						
Financial transfers ...	6,000	5,139	5,720	4,330	3,225	3,075
Superannuation contribu- tions ...	955	1,087	1,092	1,176	860	972
Other ...	2,859	2,979	3,276	3,522	2,542	2,631
Debt charges—						
Interest ...	6,750	7,436	8,205	8,772	7,489	6,495
Sinking Fund ...	1,566	1,809	2,054	2,175		
Public undertakings—						
Railways ...	Cr. 2,792	Cr. 3,401	Cr. 2,582	Cr. 3,468	Cr. 2,272	Cr. 2,718
Waterworks and sewers	Cr. 1,145	Cr. 1,600	Cr. 1,306	Cr. 2,750	Cr. 3,037	Cr. 2,921
Other ...	Cr. 919	Cr. 971	Cr. 1,137	Cr. 1,474	Cr. 1,002	Cr. 918
Total Net Cost ...	36,142	37,984	43,256	44,051	29,643	33,175
RECEIPTS APPLIED TO MEET NET COST (£'000)						
State taxation (b) ...	9,771	10,217	11,148	11,712	8,687	9,265
Territorial sources ...	547	559	613	662	563	643
Miscellaneous receipts ...	1,171	1,242	1,379	1,434	1,057	988
Commonwealth payments—						
Financial agreement ...	704	704	704	704	528	528
Section 96 (Disabilities)	5,700	5,250	4,426	—	—	—
Taxation re-imbursement	17,481	18,985	27,675	30,727	18,436	19,935
Other ...	368	—	—	—	—	—
Total receipts ...	35,742	36,957	42,945	45,239	29,271	31,359

(a) Recoveries in the nature of earnings, fees, and recoupments, in carrying out the various State functions.
 (b) For details see Table 97 "State Taxation".
 — Nil or less than £500.

No. 96—State Finance: Loan Fund

Particulars	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61	9 Months to March	
					1961	1962
PAYMENTS (£'000)						
Advances to public authorities						
Electricity Trust of S.A.	3,000	2,250	3,000	2,300	—	—
State Bank	525	455	100	1,000	1,000	—
Other	778	160	125	25	—	—
Advances to Primary Producers	184	523	262	311	157	228
Afforestation and milling	986	826	818	1,300	808	831
Buildings and land	6,198	6,737	6,739	7,604	4,999	5,825
Harbours and jetties	1,130	1,228	1,201	1,407	1,130	997
Housing—						
Advances for homes	642	2,800	3,348	3,350	1,903	639
S.A. Housing Trust	1,913	1,152	950	290	290	—
Land settlement	611	720	734	722	464	688
Railways	1,989	1,800	2,297	2,624	1,870	1,574
River Murray weirs and dams	554	180	69	111	60	57
Waterworks and sewers	5,968	7,900	8,024	9,120	6,250	7,905
Other	351	1,236	618	1,292	288	370
Total payments	24,829	27,967	28,285	31,456	19,219	19,114
RECEIPTS (£'000)						
Flotations	23,648	24,421	25,463	26,088	19,509	19,794
Repayments	3,076	3,180	3,137	4,913	2,178	3,345
Total receipts	26,724	27,601	28,600	31,001	21,687	23,139
PUBLIC DEBT (a) (£'000)						
At 30th June	296,814	317,702	339,105	361,019	n.a.	n.a.
Per Head of Population...	£ s. 330 19	£ s. 345 0	£ s. 363 5	£ s. 372 9	n.a.	n.a.

(a) Interest bearing securities outstanding. n.a.—Not available. — Nil or less than £500.

No. 97—State Taxation

Tax	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
£'000						
Land tax	567	1,401	1,390	1,397	1,360	1,400
Succession duties	1,846	1,872	2,059	2,145	2,360	2,402
Racing tax	744	741	712	673	703	751
Motor tax	3,477	3,670	3,760	4,013	4,239	4,443
Stamp duties	1,274	1,351	1,514	1,619	2,092	2,308
Hospital rating	42	81	80	95	103	112
Licences—						
Liquor	63	130	188	201	208	211
Other	62	64	68	74	83	85
Total	8,075	9,310	9,771	10,217	11,148	11,712
Per Head of Population...	£ s. 9 14	£ s. 10 16	£ s. 11 1	£ s. 11 5	£ s. 11 18	£ s. 12 5

No. 98—Commonwealth Taxation Collected in South Australia

Tax	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
£'000						
Income tax	43,479	44,219	49,686	39,010	46,491	53,208
Sales tax	12,224	11,564	11,795	12,084	14,821	15,242
Payroll tax	3,868	4,047	3,968	3,975	4,507	4,879
Customs duties	6,444	4,876	3,986	4,804	5,980	7,211
Excise duties	13,845	18,186	19,737	19,893	20,595	20,285
Estate duty	967	967	1,149	1,205	966	1,276
Gift duty	267	206	230	190	259	287
Wool tax	101	115	184	163	176	182
Stevedoring industry charge	112	263	428	514	396	417
Other	20	17	22	31	27	42
Total	81,327	84,460	91,185	81,869	94,218	103,029
Per Head of Population...	£ s. 97 9	£ s. 98 1	£ s. 102 18	£ s. 90 3	£ s. 100 18	£ s. 107 13

Commonwealth Taxation Collected in South Australia

No. 99—Income Tax on Individuals

Grade of Actual Income	Number of Taxpayers			Taxable Income			Net Tax Assessed		
	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60
£	'000			£'000					
105- 499	78	79	79	23,045	22,801	22,724	728	733	712
500- 999	160	161	158	99,940	98,388	97,169	7,159	7,057	6,942
1,000-1,099	30	30	34	23,897	23,597	26,061	2,126	2,076	2,273
1,100-1,199	21	22	24	18,480	18,423	20,178	1,792	1,765	1,906
1,200-1,299	15	15	17	14,373	14,301	16,022	1,484	1,468	1,615
1,300-1,399	11	12	13	11,343	11,524	12,662	1,248	1,258	1,370
1,400-1,499	8	8	9	8,893	8,488	9,905	1,048	995	1,141
1,500-1,999	19	18	22	26,438	24,035	28,531	3,586	3,272	3,824
2,000-2,999	12	9	11	24,197	17,634	21,178	4,364	3,265	3,887
3,000-3,999	4	3	3	12,660	7,929	9,167	2,968	1,927	2,181
4,000-4,999	2	1	1	6,913	4,341	5,047	1,949	1,256	1,422
5,000-9,999	2	1	1	10,383	6,921	7,678	3,817	2,536	2,795
10,000 and over	—	—	—	4,398	2,792	2,901	2,267	1,399	1,466
Total	362	359	372	284,960	261,174	279,223	34,536	29,007	31,534

Note: Years shown are assessment years, the previous year being the year of income.
— Less than 500.

No. 100—Sales Tax

Period	Gross Taxable Sales							Exempt Sales	Total Sales	Sales Tax Collected
	8½ per cent	10 per cent	12½ per cent	16½ per cent	25 per cent	30 per cent	40 per cent			
	£'000									
Year—										
1955-56	—	15,792	42,355	27,227	667	3,540	(a) 13	169,353	258,947	12,224
1956-57	—	14,664	31,125	11,656	4,473	12,487	—	181,501	255,906	11,564
1957-58	13,150	2,547	31,330	10,643	4,615	13,241	—	175,810	251,336	11,795
1958-59	16,388	—	33,208	10,937	5,572	13,213	—	176,526	255,844	12,084
1959-60	18,899	—	37,255	11,679	10,015	16,909	—	196,941	291,698	14,821
1960-61	17,331	—	40,197	11,813	7,361	13,289	2,886	207,738	300,615	15,242
Quarter—										
June 1960	4,264	—	8,570	3,067	2,493	4,635	—	51,927	74,956	n.a.
Sept.	4,738	—	10,274	3,251	2,256	5,427	—	51,052	76,998	n.a.
Dec.	5,463	—	11,909	3,178	2,051	3,382	1,556	54,362	81,901	n.a.
Mar. 1961	5,577	—	9,770	2,603	1,409	1,599	1,330	50,527	70,815	n.a.
June	3,553	—	8,244	2,781	1,645	2,881	—	51,797	70,901	n.a.
Sept.	1,849	—	9,723	2,659	1,645	3,001	(a) 1,849	48,245	69,301	n.a.

Note: These statistics do not relate to all wholesale trade and do not necessarily cover a constant portion of such trade, as vendors trading only in exempt goods are not required to furnish returns under the Sales Tax Acts.
(a) Other rates not specified separately.
n.a.—Not available. — Nil or less than £500.

No. 101—Customs and Excise Duty

Particulars	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
Customs—					
	£'000				
Spirituous and alcoholic liquors	158	194	213	313	255
Textiles	290	363	314	366	25
Oils, fats, and waxes	1,754	974	1,450	1,723	2,058
Motor vehicles	338	210	536	913	806
Machines, machinery, and electrical appliances	782	637	744	958	1,366
Other	1,184	1,434	1,414	1,613	2,584
Primage	370	174	133	94	117
Total Customs Duties	4,876	3,986	4,804	5,980	7,211
Excise—					
Ale, beer, and porter	8,769	8,783	8,512	8,683	8,815
Spirits	1,009	1,010	1,093	1,120	1,019
Tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes	4,698	4,653	4,984	5,326	5,497
Other	3,710	5,291	5,304	5,466	4,954
Total Excise Duties	18,186	19,737	19,893	20,595	20,285
Total Customs and Excise Duties	23,062	23,723	24,697	26,575	27,496

No. 102—Consumer Price Index: Adelaide

(Base of Each Group : 1952-53 = 100)

For current statistical purposes the Consumer Price Index replaces both the "C" Series Retail Price Index and the Interim Retail Price Index. The list of items is more extensive than formerly and hence the new Index measures more accurately quarterly variations in retail prices of goods and services representing a high proportion of the expenditure of wage earner households.

Period	Food	Clothing and Drapery	Housing	Household Supplies and Equipment	Miscellaneous	All Groups
Year—						
1951-52	90.9	93.6	85.0	92.8	92.0	91.4
1952-53	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1953-54	103.5	101.4	109.9	100.6	99.1	102.3
1954-55	106.1	101.7	113.0	100.4	99.1	103.5
1955-56	110.9	101.6	120.8	100.1	104.1	106.9
1956-57	114.7	101.7	129.2	103.2	111.6	111.1
1957-58	111.8	104.4	133.9	104.0	114.2	111.9
1958-59	117.5	105.4	137.1	105.0	114.6	114.5
1959-60	123.1	106.8	140.0	106.0	118.8	118.0
1960-61	132.2	109.5	148.7	106.1	121.4	122.9
Quarter—						
Dec. 1960	130.6	109.5	149.1	105.6	121.2	122.4
Mar. 1961	132.8	109.7	151.1	105.9	121.6	123.4
June	134.8	110.6	151.3	106.7	121.4	124.3
Sept.	131.3	110.6	152.0	107.1	122.3	123.5
Dec.	127.2	111.2	153.7	106.5	122.2	122.5
Mar. 1962	126.3	111.4	154.2	106.5	121.5	122.1

No. 103—Average Prices, Principal Markets—Rural Produce

Particulars	Unit	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1960-61
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
CROPS							
Wheat (a)—Bulk	bush.	0 12 10½	0 13 9½	0 13 11½	0 13 4½	0 13 11½	0 14 4½
Bagged	bush.	0 13 6	0 14 6	0 14 6½	0 14 0½	0 14 7½	0 15 1
Barley (a)	bush.	0 10 7½	0 11 0	0 11 10½	0 11 2½	0 10 1½	0 9 1½
Oats	bush.	0 5 11	0 6 0	0 10 9½	0 6 1½	0 9 5	0 5 1½
Potatoes (a)	ton	43 17 6	43 3 7	18 18 10	23 17 11	20 15 5	39 5 4
Tomatoes—Glasshouse	case	2 3 0	1 16 0	1 3 6	1 16 5	1 12 9	1 18 6
Other	case	1 4 0	1 1 6	0 17 6	0 18 0	1 1 5	1 1 9
Wine Grapes (b)	ton	18 8 9	19 11 2	21 8 2	20 3 1	23 3 7	24 7 8
Sultanas (dried) (c)	cwt	6 6 2	6 17 6	7 4 6	7 6 2	6 19 0	7 3 3
Apples	bush.	1 13 0	1 12 9	1 5 9	1 8 2	1 5 3	1 8 6
Oranges (a)—Navel	bush.	1 3 4	1 4 11	1 9 8	1 8 11	1 5 5	1 9 4
Other	bush.	1 5 5	1 9 9	1 8 5	1 11 7	1 2 8	1 11 2
Apricots (dried) (c)	cwt	16 9 3	17 4 6	20 10 2	19 0 8	16 17 3	19 6 9
LIVESTOCK (d)							
Fat Cattle—							
Prime medium bullocks ...	each	42 0 3	45 5 3	50 10 5	54 6 8	67 11 3	62 12 2
Prime calves	each	19 8 0	16 5 8	18 6 4	22 8 5	28 0 0	30 7 3
Fat Sheep—							
Prime merino wethers ...	each	4 1 3	3 12 0	2 16 2	2 10 3	3 10 0	3 7 10
Prime medium lambs ...	each	3 12 0	4 11 0	3 10 0	2 18 8	3 11 6	3 6 8
DAIRY AND FARMYARD PRODUCTS							
Milk (e)	gal.	0 3 0½	0 3 0	0 3 2½	0 3 2½	0 3 4	0 3 5½
Butter (f)	lb.	0 3 8½	0 3 6	0 3 9	0 3 9½	0 3 9½	0 3 11½
Cheese (f)	lb.	0 2 3½	0 2 0	0 2 1	0 2 3	0 2 4½	0 2 4½
Bacon and ham (f)	lb.	0 4 4	0 4 8	0 4 6	0 4 9	0 5 5½	0 5 3½
Eggs (a)	doz.	0 3 6½	0 3 8½	0 3 6½	0 3 10½	0 3 11½	0 3 9

(a) Average gross price paid to producers by marketing authorities.

(b) Weighted average price at winery.

(c) Weighted average price at Adelaide for Home Consumption and Export.

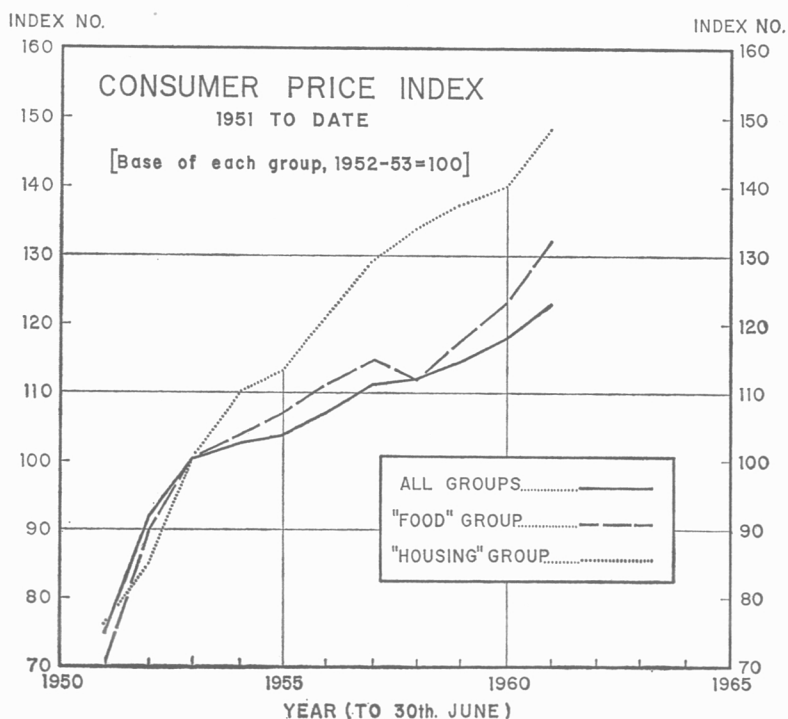
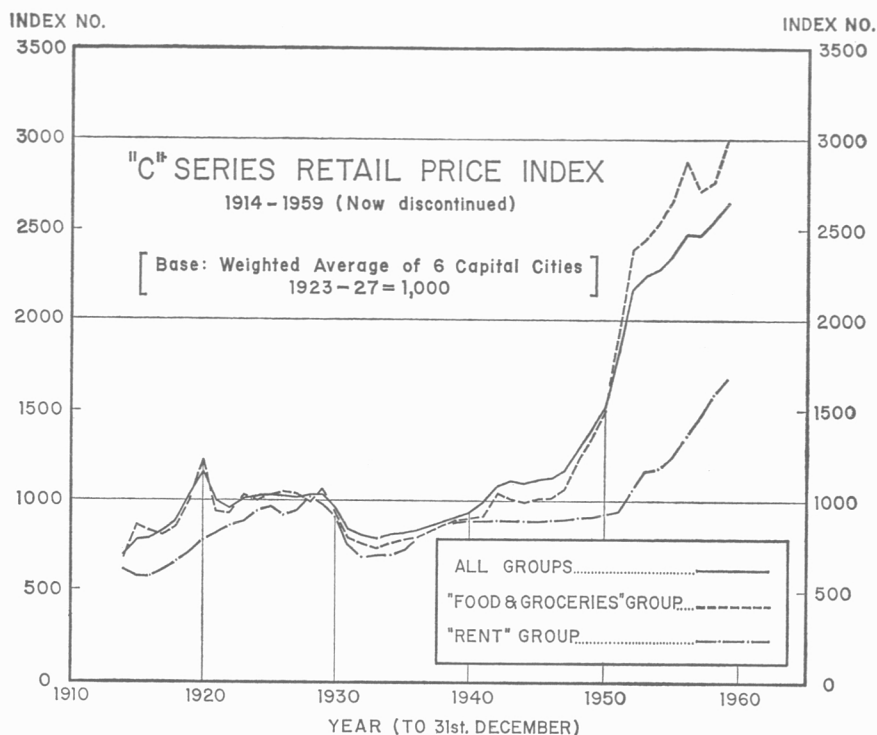
(d) Fair average weekly prices at Abattoirs market (for calendar year last stated).

(e) Paid to producers for milk supplied for use as such in Metropolitan Milk Board Area.

(f) Weighted average price at factory.

Note: Wool prices—See Table 50 page 33.

RETAIL PRICE INDEXES : ADELAIDE



No. 104—Average Retail Prices (a)—Adelaide

	Unit	Quarter (b)								
		December					Mar.	June	Sept.	Dec.
		1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1961	1961	1961
Groceries—		d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Bread (c)	2 lb.	14-00	15-00	15-50	16-00	16-50	16-50	16-50	17-00	17-00
Self-raising flour	2 lb.	15-95	16-50	17-80	18-40	18-35	18-85	18-85	18-85	18-70
Tea	lb.	78-00	78-25	78-40	78-40	79-70	79-70	79-10	79-10	78-90
Sugar	lb.	10-00	10-00	9-98	9-98	10-95	10-95	10-90	10-95	10-95
Rice	1½ lb.	12-00	12-00	12-00	12-00	12-00	11-86	11-86	12-00	13-25
Jam, plum	1½ lb.	29-00	32-50	32-61	32-61	33-80	34-00	34-00	34-00	34-00
Oats, flaked	lb.	9-00	9-00	10-33	9-67	9-93	9-90	9-87	9-87	9-93
Raisins, seeded	lb.	28-50	31-45	33-50	35-00	35-05	34-85	34-85	34-85	34-85
Peaches, canned	29 oz	40-40	47-56	45-56	40-75	35-40	35-65	36-85	37-05	36-75
Potatoes	7 lb.	83-13	27-00	28-40	30-80	53-20	56-00	56-00	60-28	63-00
Onions, brown	lb.	19-00	7-63	7-25	14-00	9-29	6-90	9-15	15-11	14-72
Soap	lb.	18-33	19-00	19-00	18-93	18-83	18-83	18-83	18-83	18-80
Dairy Produce—										
Butter, factory	lb.	54-50	54-45	55-65	55-85	57-65	57-65	57-35	56-60	56-75
Cheese, mild	lb.	35-11	35-06	36-00	36-44	37-36	37-36	37-36	37-36	37-36
Eggs, new laid	doz.	47-70	47-75	54-44	55-88	53-00	65-79	70-50	61-29	37-00
Bacon, rashers	lb.	75-00	69-00	67-69	82-00	81-43	80-50	80-50	78-00	72-93
Milk-fresh, bottled (c) ...	quart	18-00	19-00	19-00	19-00	19-50	20-00	20-00	20-00	20-00
Meat—										
Beef—										
Sirloin	lb.	30-43	31-80	38-10	41-10	56-97	57-37	58-60	54-37	50-23
Rump steak	lb.	50-67	52-47	60-30	68-77	81-87	83-27	86-10	80-47	76-53
Sausages	lb.	17-33	19-22	21-22	22-22	24-96	24-67	25-00	24-85	24-18
Corned silverside	lb.	35-23	37-90	43-67	47-00	57-37	58-53	59-30	55-70	52-10
Mutton—										
Leg	lb.	25-23	18-43	25-73	24-90	32-11	33-19	34-15	30-96	28-63
Forequarter	lb.	14-25	9-94	12-80	12-16	18-96	18-15	18-78	17-18	14-85
Loin chops	lb.	24-60	18-63	24-93	24-33	33-30	33-74	34-22	31-30	27-85
Pork—										
Leg	lb.	59-00	46-43	52-47	63-93	66-83	67-13	63-13	55-90	49-60
Chops	lb.	59-00	46-57	53-17	64-27	67-10	67-13	64-07	56-57	49-70

(a) In some cases the averages shown are price relatives.

(b) For groceries and dairy produce—as at the midpoint of the quarter, i.e. 15th February, May, August, and November, respectively. For meat—average during quarter.

(c) Delivered.

No. 105—Average Retail Prices (a)—December Quarter 1961 (b)

	Unit	Adelaide	Kadina	Port Pirie	Mount Gambier	Peterborough	Port Augusta
Groceries—		d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Bread (c)	2 lb.	17-00	19-33	18-50	18-50	(d) 17-00	18-50
Self-raising flour	2 lb.	18-70	20-25	20-21	19-20	20-67	19-88
Tea	lb.	78-90	80-83	80-64	81-20	81-00	80-50
Sugar	lb.	10-95	11-46	11-50	12-00	11-50	11-25
Rice	lb.	13-25	14-10	13-88	13-80	14-50	14-00
Jam, plum	1½ lb.	34-00	34-75	34-20	33-50	34-50	34-50
Oats, flaked	lb.	9-93	10-33	10-28	10-66	11-14	10-17
Raisins, seeded	lb.	34-85	36-00	35-57	35-60	35-75	35-75
Peaches, canned	29 oz	36-75	41-25	40-86	37-90	41-50	40-38
Potatoes	7 lb.	63-00	71-00	70-00	66-50	70-83	73-33
Onions, brown	lb.	14-72	18-00	16-50	11-11	15-83	17-50
Soap	lb.	18-80	19-72	19-38	19-53	19-92	19-25
Dairy Produce—							
Butter, factory	lb.	56-75	59-92	60-00	58-40	59-00	59-25
Cheese, mild	lb.	37-36	37-75	39-25	36-67	38-00	38-67
Eggs, new laid	doz.	37-30	31-00	31-75	37-60	30-67	38-75
Bacon, rashers	lb.	72-93	69-50	70-72	77-00	68-75	67-50
Milk-fresh, bottled (c) ...	quart	20-00	n.a.	21-00	18-00	(e) 22-00	22-00
Meat—							
Beef—							
Sirloin	lb.	50-23	41-85	48-90	47-40	44-00	48-67
Rump steak	lb.	76-53	72-57	78-05	73-00	72-33	79-92
Sausages	lb.	24-18	25-43	30-00	25-00	22-22	26-08
Corned silverside	lb.	52-10	48-00	57-57	48-87	48-00	57-33
Mutton—							
Leg	lb.	28-63	27-28	28-67	27-80	22-67	31-33
Forequarter	lb.	14-85	14-14	15-62	13-60	12-89	17-08
Loin chops	lb.	27-85	28-14	29-53	27-80	27-00	30-00
Pork—							
Leg	lb.	49-60	43-43	46-14	52-67	45-33	49-75
Chops	lb.	49-70	43-85	46-14	53-20	43-33	49-75

(a) In some cases the averages shown are price relatives.

(b) For groceries and dairy produce—as at the midpoint of the quarter, i.e. 15th November. For meat—average during quarter.

(c) Delivered.

(d) Not delivered.

(e) Carton.

n.a.—Not available.

No. 106—South Australia Compared with Australia

Item	Unit	Date or Period	South Australia	Australia	Percentage (a)
Area	'000 acres	Dec. 1961	243,245	1,901,492	12.79
Proportion of area having rainfall—					
Under 10in.	per cent	1911-40	82.8	37.6	(i)
10in. and under 20in.	per cent	1911-40	13.9	30.8	(i)
20in. and over	per cent	1911-40	3.3	31.6	(i)
Population	No.	Dec. 1961	979,726	10,603,936	9.24
Rate of population increase	per cent	1961	2.37	2.04	(i)
Natural increase	No.	1961	14,584	151,025	9.66
Birth rate	(b)	1961	23.11	22.87	—
Death rate	(b)	1961	8.06	8.48	—
Infant death rate	(c)	1961	20.00	19.54	—
Marriages	No.	1961	6,804	76,686	8.87
Divorces—decrees absolute	No.	1960	610	6,633	9.20
Age pensioners	No.	June 1961	51,989	562,790	9.24
Unemployed on benefit	No.	Mar. 1962	2,599	45,870	5.67
Beer consumption per head	gal.	1959-60	17.7	22.6	(i)
Wage and salary earners (d)	'000	Feb. 1962	269.1	3,065.4	8.78
Av. weekly wages per employed male unit	£	1960-61	21.4	22.9	(i)
Industrial disputes—working days lost	'000	1961	17.3	606.8	2.85
Trade union membership	'000	Dec. 1960	153.5	1,912.6	8.03
Rural holdings	No.	1960-61	28,711	252,042	11.39
Rural workers (permanent)	'000	Mar. 1958	37.9	393.9	9.62
Area irrigated	'000 acres	1960-61	102.0	2,022.4	5.04
Area of crops fertilized	'000 acres	1960-61	4,326.1	19,632.6	22.04
Area of pasture top-dressed	'000 acres	1960-61	3,299.8	26,571.3	12.42
Area—					
Wheat for grain	'000 acres	1960-61	1,969.4	13,438.9	14.65
Barley for grain	'000 acres	1960-61	1,555.7	2,829.8	54.98
Orchards	'000 acres	1960-61	37.7	291.3	12.94
Vineyards	'000 acres	1960-61	56.9	131.1	43.40
Numbers—					
Dairy cattle	'000	Mar. 1961	248	p 4,901	5.06
Beef cattle	'000	Mar. 1961	313	p 12,431	2.52
Sheep	'000	Mar. 1961	14,952	p 152,679	9.79
Wool-clip	m. lb.	1960-61	162.9	p 1,480.0	11.01
Net value of primary production	£ m.	1959-60	112.7	r 1,212.1	9.30
Black coal production	'000 tons	1960	884	22,499	3.93
Iron ore production	'000 tons	1960	3,436.6	4,355.5	78.90
Area of forest (f)	'000 acres	June 1959	7,092.1	98,388.9	7.21
Factories	No.	1960-61	5,042	57,782	8.73
Factory employment	'000	Feb. 1962	95.6	1,087.9	8.79
Value of factory production	£ m.	1960-61	170.1	2,164.2	7.86
Electricity generated	m. kWh.	1960-61	1,898	p 25,075	7.57
Horsepower of factory machinery per employee (j)	h.p.	1960-61	5.33	5.67	—
Value of buildings completed	£'000	1961	51,792	550,129	9.41
Dwellings completed	No.	1961	9,828	88,473	11.11
Motor vehicles on register	'000	Jan. 1962	320.1	3,066.2	10.44
Road traffic accidents—					
Persons killed	No.	1960	234	(g) 2,605	8.98
Persons injured	No.	1960	7,704	(g) 61,634	12.50
Television licences in force	'000	Mar. 1962	134.2	1,355.6	9.90
Radio licences in force	'000	Mar. 1962	251.3	2,234.9	11.24
Direct oversea exports	£ m.	1960-61	p 99.4	p 969.8	10.25
Direct oversea imports	£ m.	1960-61	p 71.4	p 1,087.7	6.56
Retail sales (including motor vehicles)	£ m.	1960-61	r 326.5	r 3,717.0	r 8.78
Personal income per head	£	1959-60	(e) 484	515	(i)
Commonwealth and State taxation per head	£	1960-61	120.3	153.4	(i)
Hire purchase: balances outstanding per head (e)	£	Dec. 1961	38.51	36.66	—
Savings bank deposits per head	£	Dec. 1961	174.1	155.7	—
State Expenditure per head (h)—					
Education	shilling	1959-60	264.9	253.1	—
Health, hospitals, and charities	shilling	1959-60	141.5	163.0	—
Law, order, and public safety	shilling	1959-60	52.7	59.5	—

(a) Proportion South Australia to Australia.

(b) Rate per 1,000 mean population.

(c) Rate per 1,000 live births registered.

(d) Excludes employment on farms, defence forces, and female private domestics.

(e) Includes Northern Territory.

(f) Excludes firewood forests.

(g) Excludes Northern Territory.

(h) From Consolidated Revenue and Special Funds. Australian per capita figures are averages of expenditure by the six State Governments.

(i) Not applicable.

(j) Excludes central generating stations.

p—Preliminary.

r—Revised.

